

FATE OF 300,000 GREEK TROOPS IN DOUBT AFTER SALONIKA FALLS

Ford, Roosevelt and Van Wagoner Confer on Strike

Governor Reports All Parties Hope For Settlement Of Labor Strife

Founder of Gigantic Industry Enters Negotiations for First Time; No Decisions Reached

DETROIT, April 9. (AP)—Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner said tonight that he had conferred with Henry Ford and President Roosevelt about the Ford Motor Company strike and asserted that "all parties are aiming for a quick settlement x x x with a singleness of purpose."

It marked the first time that Ford, founder of the giant company closed last week after a strike of the United Automobile Workers (CIO), had talked with mediators regarding the labor dispute.

"While we did not reach our today's objective of settling the strike at the Ford Motor Company and of setting a date for work to be resumed, I am far from discouraged," the governor announced.

Talks with Roosevelt late this afternoon and gave him a detailed report of today's developments. "I also had a fine talk with Henry Ford in company with Harry Bennett."

All parties are aiming for a quick settlement of the strike with a singleness of purpose. We must maintain the feeling of confidence and trust."

Governor Van Wagoner made these disclosures to newsmen at a mediation headquarters in a downtown hotel several hours after announcing, following a six-hour conference, that "the strike is not settled. We will continue to negotiate."

These developments placed the labor dispute before the highest officials concerned with its outcome and informed sources declared that some definite action would be taken, one way or another, before long.

No Actual Deadline
One reliable source expressed a belief that no actual deadline exists for settlement of the strike and that the governor has assurance from administration leaders in Washington that the dispute will not be turned over to the Defense Mediation Board if he believes it can be settled here in a reasonable time.

Earlier, Federal Conciliator James F. Dewey told newsmen that "you can quote me that there has been no break-down in negotiations."

Asked if the situation was any better or worse today, Dewey said:

"After you have been negotiating for a week you get up to a point where anything might happen. It might be settled or it might all blow up at any moment."

Earlier Reports Optimistic
Hints of a prospective agreement with the United Automobile Workers (CIO) had circulated late in the afternoon. In Washington, Philip Murray, president of the CIO, had reported that an important announcement was expected in Detroit and had indicated it might be pleasing to his organization.

While mediators emphasized that there will be no let-up in negotiations, (Continued on Page 16, Col. 2)

Mrs. J. Borden Harriman Asks Convoys for Ships

There Can Be No Half-Way Measures, Former Minister Says

NEW YORK, April 9. (AP)—A plea for "protection" of American supply ships sent to Great Britain and her allies was made tonight by Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, former minister to Norway.

In a speech prepared for delivery over the WABC-CBS radio network, Mrs. Harriman said attempts to send unprotected vessels across the ocean were "worse than useless."

"There can be no half-way measures today," she said. "The important and basic point is that these ships must be protected in the most efficient manner. What that manner will be must be decided by experts. All we must do is inform our representatives that we approve of protection and leave the means of protection to them."

She spoke under auspices of the committee to defend America by aiding the Allies.

"Awake America, or prepare to perish," she said. "Thermopylae, Hastings and the Alamo will live in the hearts of men the world over long after Munich is but the memory of an ancient shame."

Earlier, Mrs. Harriman issued a statement in connection with her appointment as vice chairman of the committee and chairman of its women's division.

"Every ship that is sunk, every cargo that goes down, is a help to Hitler," she said. "Our problem is to insure the delivery of materials to those ports for which they are intended, and if that means convoys, we should convoy without further question or delay."

Mexico To Break With Axis Powers

Diplomatic Rupture at Early Date Seems Unavoidable

MEXICO CITY, April 9. (AP)—A break in diplomatic relations between Mexico and the Axis powers was predicted as "probable" by official sources tonight as a result of Mexico's expropriation of twelve German and Italian ships.

As the Mexican merchant marine colors were hoisted on the vessels in place of the struck Axis ensigns, President Manuel Avila Camacho's decree of expropriation was hailed as a definite move with full realization that a rupture of relations probably would follow.

Official sources said such a break by Rome and Berlin would merely have the effect of killing off Nazi-Fascist propaganda activities in Mexico and possibly elsewhere in Latin America.

A naval official said complete crews would be placed aboard by next week and that before the end of the month the ships would be operating in Mexico's commerce with her neighbors.

The president directed the finance ministry to "determine the indemnity for each ship," and said the amounts would be paid with interest at the end of the war.

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ASKS ALL-OUT AID



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German Bombers Attack Piraeus Outside Athens

Drop Magnetic Mines in Harbor Much Used by the British

ATHENS, April 9. (AP)—German planes have dropped bombs and magnetic mines in the port of Piraeus, five miles southwest of Athens, and an important entry point for British supplies now that Salonika has fallen.

The Greek Ministry of Home Security announced tonight that four waves of German aircraft raided the port Tuesday night, and dropped bombs "without casualties or damage."

Magnetic mines also were dropped during an attack the previous night, the communiqué said.

The communiqué said: "German aircraft came over Piraeus in four waves at night yesterday (Wednesday) and dropped bombs without casualties or damage."

They also dropped magnetic mines at various points as they had done during their April 7 raid.

A Yugoslav legion announcement over the Athens radio, heard by NBC, said that Yugoslav troops continuing their drive south of the occupied city of Scutari in northern Albania had crossed the Drin river. The German air force heavily bombed the Yugoslav cities of Kragujevac, Kraljevo, Raska and Sjenica, the Yugoslavs said.

Germans Urge Greeks To Lay Down Arms

NEW YORK, April 9. (AP)—The port of Piraeus, Athens' outlet to the sea, and several other Greek ports have been bombed during the past few days, the Athens radio said in broadcasts heard here tonight.

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Netherlands Kills Boys Scout Move

AMSTERDAM (via Berlin), April 9. (AP)—The Boy Scout movement was officially abolished in the Netherlands today.

A statement said the boys belonged to the international boy scouts which in the Nazi view constitutes an instrument of British cultural and political propaganda.

Dissolution of the Dutch Salvation Army which took place two weeks ago has not yet been officially announced.

Churchill Warns Russia and Turks Of Balkan Danger

Predicts Hitler Will Turn on Both Nations if He Is Successful

LONDON, April 9. (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill warned Russia today that Germany's Balkan drive pointed in her direction and pledged that no matter how Adolf Hitler goes "we who are armed with the sword of retributive justice shall be on his track."

"There are many signs which point to an attempt to secure the straits of the Ukraine and the oil fields of the Caucasus," the prime minister told the House of Commons in a lengthy war review.

He also warned British-Alied Turkey that the German army "driving fast through the Balkans" may at any time turn upon her.

Paints Gloomy Picture

The prime minister painted a dark picture of the war situation not only in the Balkans but also in Libya, where he said Britain must expect a hard fight not only for the defense of Cirenaica, but Egypt too. "A fortnight ago I warned the public that an unbroken continuance of success could not be hoped for," he said in discussing the African campaign.

In language reminiscent of that he used in discussing the Lowland and French debacle last year, the prime minister said that had Turkey, Yugoslavia and Greece stood together they would have had at their disposal sixty or seventy divisions which might have halted the Germans.

Seek United Front
Such a united front, Churchill said, was sought by Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and General John Dill in their February conferences in Ankara and Athens.

They would have gone to Belgrade, he added, but "they were refused permission by Prince Paul's government."

Only Greece, he said, permitted full cooperation with the British when she was invaded by Italy and subsequently menaced by Germany. "Turning to other aspects of the war, the prime minister said that 'everything turns on the battle of the Atlantic,' which he added, must be won 'not only in the factories and the shipyards but upon the blue water.'"

Needs Escort for Convoys
To do this, he said, U-boat and surface raiders of Germany must be overcome, and that "has been proved to be entirely a question of adequate escorts for our fast convoys."

"It will indeed be disastrous if the great masses of weapons, munitions and instruments of war of all kinds made with the toil and skill of American hands at the cost of the United States and loans to us under the aid to Britain bill were to sink into the depths of the ocean and never reach the hard-pressed fighting line."

Churchill reiterated his hope that "we may realize that it is as much in their interests as it is in ours that their ports and airfields should be available for naval and air forces which must operate ever farther into the Atlantic."

To France, "for whose cause we are contending no less than for our own," the prime minister said: "I must make it clear that we must maintain our blockade (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

Judges and Other State Officers Subject to Income Tax for 1940

BALTIMORE, April 9. (AP)—The 1940 salaries of judges and other public officers living in Maryland are subject to state income tax, State Attorney General William C. Walsh ruled in an opinion today asserting that legislation enacted this year by the General Assembly was retroactive on this point. Maryland voters, in November 1940, approved a constitutional amendment removing from the exempt class the salary or compensation of "any judge or other public officer from the imposition by the general assembly of a non-discriminatory tax upon income."

State Comptroller J. Millard Tawes, who asked for the ruling, was concerned as to whether the fact that the constitution was not changed until November protected a judges' 1940 salary from taxation until that time.

The General Assembly, Walsh said, "expressly made this amendment applicable to 1940 income."

"We therefore have the situation of a tax due in 1941 on income received in 1940," he said. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

Athens Reports Army Still Fighting, but Germany Says Entire Force Laid Down Arms

Berlin Declares Greeks Realized Hopelessness and Gave Up Struggle

Berlin Reports Main Body of Yugoslavs Separated from Greeks; Serbs Reported Tottering

By ALVIN J. STEINKOPF

BERLIN, April 9. (AP)—The German high command announced in a swift succession of communiqués today the capture of Salonika, surrender of the entire eastern Greek army—giving Germany control of northeastern Greece from the Vardar valley to the Turkish border—and a powerful thrust westward across Yugoslavia toward Albania. Authoritative Germans said that, for purposes of any practical military consideration, Yugoslavia might now be regarded as cut in two in the latitude of Nis.

The main body of Yugoslavs is now separated from the Greeks and British, and the Nazis thrust seemed to be moving on with irresistible force towards the Albanian border, these sources said.

Salonika (port of 236,000 population) fell before the might of German armored troops. It was announced, and the Greek army east of there surrendered "when it realized the hopelessness of its position."

The forces pushing in from Bulgaria overcame extraordinary conditions of terrain to capture the Yugoslav stronghold and concentration point of Nis, and without pause continued in a power drive to the west, late reports stated.

In the north, the Germans occupied Maribor, Yugoslavia, ten miles from the border of old Austria, and reported that an advance was in full swing all along a semi-circular northern front.

Claims Serbs Tottering
Viewing the results of these spectacular four days, observers in Berlin said, "the Serbian state is tottering."

All Germany paid tribute to the fighting qualities of the Greeks, saying that especially bitter opposition was encountered in Rupel Pass, which is the key to the position.

Salisbury To Help Provide Airplane
SALISBURY, Md., April 9. (AP)—Uncle Sam may get an airplane out of old pots, pans, and other scrapped aluminum in Salisbury.

Announcing a drive to collect aluminum, Councilman John E. Morris said there must be enough old metal in attics and cellars to build an airplane. Boy Scouts will gather it in a house-to-house canvass, for donation to the government.

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GOOD-WILL ENVOYS FROM BRAZIL



Aldia Vargas do Amaral Peixoto, daughter of the President of Brazil, and her husband, Ernani do Amaral Peixoto, governor of the Brazilian state of Rio, arrive in Miami by clipper plane from South America. They made the trip to attend launching in Chester, Pa., of the liner Rio de Janeiro for the Brazilian Maritime Commission.

6 Nazi Officers Flee Mexico for Dash to Germany

Escape To Sea in Small Boat, Compatriots Declare

TAMPICO, Mexico, April 9. (AP)—German sources here reported tonight that six officers from the seized and expropriated German liner Orinoco escaped to sea late last night in a thirty-foot yawl built during their months of refuge in this port.

German compatriots said Nazi seamen had stored aboard a month's supplies and drinking water for the daring escape and planned to sail to Germany.

They were reported to have taken the navigation instruments from the Orinoco on their adventure.

Mexican naval authorities said the gambut Queretaro might be sent in pursuit if the German reports proved true.

The crews of the twelve Axis vessels expropriated for use in the Mexican merchant marine have been at liberty in the custody of their consuls at Tampico and Vera Cruz.

Life Term May Be Granted Parole

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 9. (AP)—The parole application of Walter Socolow, one of three men given life imprisonment for the first-degree murder of William Norris, Baltimore contractor in 1922, was taken under advisement late today by Parole Director Herman M. Mower.

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West Midlands Raided by Nazis; Casualties Heavy

Many Civilians Believed Killed by Deluge of German Bombs

LONDON, April 10. (Thursday). (AP)—German raiders struck heavily at a west Midlands town last night and reports reaching here early today indicated civilian casualties might be numerous.

Rescue workers toiled amid a deluge of bombs. Raiding raiders pounded the town for several hours. It was the second straight night of attack on the West Midlands.

Other raiders hit at the East Anglian coastal area, northeast, northwest and western England. London also had an alarm but no bombings were reported.

British Raid French Coast
The British as well had been active offensively, striking all during the day at the German-held channel coast in a series of machinegun attacks upon motor trucks, barges and Nazi shipping.

This offensive sweep was in continuation of heavy raids Tuesday night on the German naval base at Kiel—a second successive night raid which was said to have shattered dockyard structures and to have fired row upon row of other buildings and warehouses.

The hours-long Kiel raid, described as "ever more impressive" than that of the preceding night. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

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Knudsen Advocates Army and Navy Operating Strike-Bound Plants

WASHINGTON, April 9. (AP)—the House military committee after Secretary Perkins had expressed the opinion that jurisdictional strikes were unjustified in defense industries and "most unfortunate at any time."

The committee is investigating the defense program.

Sec. Perkins's Explanation
The labor secretary attributed the current strikes principally to "rather sudden expansion of employment," the "efforts of people long without steady work to improve their position."

Knudsen outlined his views to

Greece's Eastern Troops Holding Out, Commander Says in Report

"Did Not Weaken Their Resistance and Held Their Lines, Intact" Army Officer Declares

ATHENS, April 10. (Thursday). (AP)—The Greek high command announced today that Greek troops cut off in eastern Macedonia by the German capture of Salonika were still holding out late yesterday afternoon.

These troops, estimated at 300,000 before the Nazi offensive began, "did not weaken their resistance on the frontier and held their lines intact according to information received during this afternoon."

Large Section Cut Off
The strong Greek fortress defenses are along the Bulgarian frontier at Rupel Pass and east of there on the Nevrokop plateau. All this section was cut off by the German drive down the Vardar valley to Salonika.

German troops, the communiqué said, entered Salonika after delaying their advance Tuesday night in the Kilkis district to the north.

The Athens radio said that the "possibility of a Yugoslav retreat as well as the cutting off of Greek forces in Macedonia and Thrace had been foreseen by the Greek command."

"The decisive battle will be given where strategic conditions demand it. The war goes on and will go on."

Predict Final Victory
"We know how to fight and will not be influenced by unfavorable turns. Nothing can shake us until final victory."

German bombers attacked the Athens port of Piraeus, five miles away, Tuesday night, dropping magnetic mines at various points, the ministry of public security said.

No casualties nor damage was caused, the communiqué said. Athens was under alert last night.

In Albania, the Greek command said, heavy losses were inflicted on the Italians during the repulse of Fascist local attacks.

The Yugoslav legion announced that Yugoslav troops driving southward from Scutari in northern Albania had crossed the Drin river.

It was a race between the Yugoslavs and Greeks attempting to squeeze the Italians as the Germans drove westward across Yugoslavia to make a junction with the Axis ally.

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New York Herald Tribune Plans Observance of Centennial Today

NEW YORK, April 9. (AP)—The New York Herald Tribune tomorrow will observe the centennial of its founding.

One of the nation's great newspapers, it has pioneered in developing many improvements in the daily press field.

The late Horace Greeley published Vol. 1, No. 1 of the old New York Tribune on April 10, 1841, as "New Morning Journal of Politics, Literature and General Intelligence."

The paper carried on for 83 years

before it absorbed the New York Herald in 1924.

In its first century, only three men—Greeley, Whitelaw Reid, his successor, and Ogden Mills Reid, Whitelaw Reid's son—have controlled the newspaper's destinies.

Helen Rogers Reid, Ogden Reid's wife, has been one of the newspaper's pillars since 1918. She is vice president of the publishing corporation.

Today another Reid, Ogden Reid's 27-year-old son Whitelaw, is active

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Sectional Row Halts Accord in Mine Controversy

Two-Thirds of Operators Willing To Grant Demands of Union

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP)—Industrialists producing more than two-thirds of the nation's bituminous coal today were officially reported ready to meet miners' wage demands, but a sectional dispute between northern and southern operators in the rich Appalachian fields again delayed a complete accord and thus postponed reopening of the country's soft coal mines.

This situation was announced formally by Dr. John R. Steelman, director of the United States Conciliation Service. After negotiations for the Appalachian industry and the United Mine Workers of America (U. M. W.) completed nearly a month of discussions looking to a new contract.

"Sufficient agreement has been reached to assure the country that there will be no danger of a coal shortage," Steelman said, however, as the ninety-per cent work stoppage in the industry went into its tenth day.

Can Open Some Mines

Because some operators are ready to sign with the union—presumably the Northern Appalachian and certain important outlying areas—Steelman added that "anytime production is needed we can open some mines."

"Most defense industries, having anticipated a stoppage, stored enough coal to last approximately three weeks or more."

Steelman added that inasmuch as the mines would not operate on good Friday and the Easter weekend anyway, coal production could not begin before Monday at the earliest and that negotiations therefore "would continue for at least another day in an attempt to reach industry-wide accord. They will resume discussions at 10 a. m. (EST) tomorrow."

Control 55 Per Cent

The chief federal conciliator explained that operators producing fifty-five per cent of the Appalachian tonnage or 38 1/2 per cent of the nation's output "have come to agreement" with the union and that it was "assumed" that this agreement would bring into similar accord certain outlying areas producing thirty per cent of the national output, thus accounting for "68 1/2 per cent of the American tonnage."

For the first time Steelman confirmed unofficial reports that the "main point of difference" was the question of eliminating a northern-south wage differential demanded by the miners and assertedly agreed to by the northern operators.

The expired contract provided a basic \$6 a day wage in the north and \$5.60 in the south, thus setting up a forty-cent daily differential. Southern operators objected to the elimination, saying the miners demand for a flat \$7 a day wage would in reality increase northern wages only a \$1 a day and theirs \$1.40 an increase they said they were unable to meet.

Wage Boost Retroactive

Steelman also announced that "some operators" had agreed to retroactively to the date of reopening any wage or other benefits granted the union.

Meanwhile, Pennsylvania anthracite coal operators and the union resumed negotiations on miners' demands for a \$1 a day wage increase and a minimum of \$4.62 for a seven-hour day for 110,000 hard coal miners. It was expected that the conferees would adjourn until next Tuesday awaiting developments in the bituminous industry.

Bifurcated negotiations—four for the union and four for the operators—voted six to two to accept the union's demands, Steelman said, and then adjourned for further meetings later.

He did not say whether the two negotiators who rejected the proposed contract were L. T. Gunter of Knoxville, Tenn., and L. C. Putman of Beckley, W. Va., who represented the Southern Appalachian area.

Most of today's negotiations centered on the question of cost in eliminating the differential. Steelman said, with some operators and the union contending the cost would amount to 1 1/2 cents a ton, while other negotiators contended it would be much more.

Asked if the differential dispute were the "only question" holding up agreement, Steelman replied that the question of production costs in the south in relation to the whole wage structure was another element which conferees had not agreed upon.

3,000 U. S. SOLDIERS LEAVE FOR THE EAST



With 3,000 U. S. soldiers crowding her rails, the former luxury liner Washington sails from New York for the Pacific. Now known as the U. S. Army Transport Washington, she is bound for Panama, Hawaii and the Philippines. Sleeping quarters have been enlarged and other remodeling done to adapt the vessel to military use. She formerly was operated by the U. S. Lines.

seventh raid of the war on this important Nazi base.

"High explosives began to shatter buildings in the dockyards and the town at the very start," the air ministry reported through its news service.

The next wave of bombers, it went on, found both banks of the south end of the estuary "already outlined by angry fires." A large factory at the north end of the naval dockyard was said to have blown up.

"The Germans said strong RAF units raided north German coastal towns overnight, killing a number of persons."

The British acknowledged the loss of five planes and announced the destruction of twelve German raiders last night and today.

One of last night's raiders brought down by anti-aircraft fire was listed by the air ministry as the 500th to be bagged by these ground batteries since the war's start.

Urbain Ledoux, Bowery's Best Friend, Is Dead

"Mr. Zero" Known to Thousands of Unfortunates in U. S.

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP)—Mr. Zero, shepherd of the jobless and probably the Bowery's best friend, is dead.

His real name was Urbain J. Ledoux. He died last night at the age of 67.

As Mr. Ledoux had a career in the consular service, spending years in Canada, Bordeaux and Prague. As Mr. Zero, he was well-known nearly anywhere that men were down and out.

After throwing over his consular career in 1916, he began a private rescue mission to aid human wrecks. When the men he fed and sometimes clothed asked him his name, he said, "Men, I am nothing." And so they called him "Mr. Zero."

Down through the years he championed the outcasts. In 1921, while 5,000 persons daily crowded Boston Common, he "sold" 150 homeless men at public auction to bidders who had work for them. He tried the same thing in New York in 1928, but there weren't any jobs.

Every holiday, even his own birthday, he marked as a gala event by holding feasts for Bowery denizens. During the last two decades he operated the old Bucks and Lane Dicks Club, the Tub and the Gracklers, a near-beer saloon.

Churchill Warns

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against German and rights of contraband control at sea which have never been disputed or denied to any belligerent and which a year ago France was exercising with us."

He said he welcomed Chief of State Philippe Petain's declaration that France would not act against her former ally and he boasted that Britain had allowed considerable food to go to France "out of a sincere desire to spare the French people every hardship in our power."

Churchill said the British smashing of Italy's East African empire was liberating British forces to face the new Axis threat to Egypt.

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Navy Commissions North Carolina in Yard at Brooklyn

Largest Battleship Cost \$70,000,000; Notables Present

By JOHN A. MOROSO III
NEW YORK, April 9 (AP)—One thousand of the navy's fighting men representing every state in the union today commissioned the 35,000-ton battleship North Carolina before 1,500 special guests at the Brooklyn navy yard.

The \$70,000,000 dreadnaught, most formidable ship of the fleet and one of the deadliest in the world from the standpoint of shooting power, was the first capital ship to be commissioned by Uncle Sam in eighteen years and her complement showed their pride in a colorful and traditional twenty-nine-minute ceremony.

Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox told the audience and the world that "we are foreshadowing with this ship the greatest navy the world has ever seen."

First of 17 Battleships

The North Carolina is the first of seventeen battleships ordered by the navy.

Knox, stressing that Americans want peace, emphasized that the best way to insure it was to have a navy so strong that no nation dare attack the United States.

Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations who flew here for the ceremony, handed the vessel over to her captain, Olin M. Hustvedt, and ordered the crew to put her in the best running shape, ready "for a fight or a frolic."

Gov. J. Mervin Broughton of North Carolina told the men "we give you a name and a tradition x x x we will carry on at the home front while you man your ship at sea."

Ceremony on Quarterdeck

The ceremony, colorful with the various uniforms, the pre-Easter hats of officers' wives, bugles and the shrill blasts of boson's whistles, was conducted on the quarterdeck under full war-time restrictions.

Although commissioned three months ahead of schedule, the North Carolina will not go into service until July. Officers believed that she would join the Pacific fleet.

She is the first American warship constructed without portholes below the main deck. Her huge blisters, below the waterline, and water tight doors make it almost impossible for a torpedo to sink her.

On the paper, he joined the organization in 1937, and spent part of 1940 in England covering the war.

The newspaper's historic role since its inception has been that of a central source of Republican opinion, but it has never shrunk from disagreeing, if it believed otherwise with the party leaders.

Whitehead Reid was an active friend of the enterprise which introduced the Mergenthaler Linotype to journalism. The Tribune also gave Stephen H. Horgan his chance to prove that a daily paper could print a half-tone, which it did successfully for the first time in 1897.

German Blitzkrieg blows rained on Greece and Yugoslavia with stunning speed and devastating effect have obviously changed the war trends in the Balkans.

Even before the British force in Greece had come in contact with its Nazi foe, London appeared to have some apprehension over its fate. Again, as in Norway and Flanders the battle seemed all but lost before the British could come to grips with the enemy.

Even before Salonika fell, Berlin commentators chortled that the British in Greece were facing another and more terrible Dunkerque. They reported that the British were preparing to re-embark from Greek ports on the Aegean.

That is possible, of course, but still seems wholly improbable. Difficult as the situation is for the British army, there are circumstances that might be exploitable.

Its line of deployment, mentioned on as south and southwest of fallen Salonika, is in defensible mountainous terrain west of the Vardar river. It covers presumably rail and river valley routes like Monastir pass through which contact with Yugoslav troops in the southwestern mountain area of Yugoslavia is still possible.

British May Turn Tables

And from that British line, which may reach the Aegean coast fairly close to Salonika, a heavy British striking force conceivably could turn the tables on the Nazi light column which spearheaded its way to Salonika. German communications to support it are no less exposed than were those of Greek troops on the Struma front and along the Metaxas line.

That possibility and the British occupation of Massaua, main Italian port in Eritrea, are almost the only relieving features of the war news from the British viewpoint. Prime Minister Churchill's refusal to disclose to Parliament the actual whereabouts of the British army in Greece or its present mission might mean that he expects an early offensive movement rather than a withdrawal from Greece.

10 Coast Guard Cutters Will Be Sent to England

Powerful U. S. Warships Will Leave within a Short Time

By EDWARD E. BOMAR
WASHINGTON, April 9 (AP)—Even as Winston Churchill made an implied plea for more aid in the battle of the Atlantic, the United States announced today that it would turn over ten coast guard cutters to Great Britain.

The transfer was disclosed at the White House almost simultaneously with a prediction by the British prime minister to the House of Commons that they would "soon be in action."

Like the fifty naval destroyers transferred last fall, the rugged craft are considered well suited to escorting harassed shipping convoys and to helping combat the U-boats which Churchill said were ranging ever farther westward in an effort to frustrate American Lend-Lease efforts.

Submarines Grave Menace

The British-minister asserted, in his London speech, that these submarines "constitute a menace which must be overcome if the life of Britain is not to be endangered and if the purposes to which the government and the people of the United States have devoted themselves are not to be frustrated."

He said he could not believe the "proud and resolute people of the U. S. A." would find it "acceptable" if vast quantities of American supplies destined for England should be sunk at sea.

Stephen Early, President Roosevelt's press secretary, said the coast guard ships had not yet been delivered but were being prepared. Presumably they will be turned over to British crews on this side of the Atlantic.

Similar to British Ships

Vessels of some 2,000 tons normally armed with five-inch guns, the cutters are considered comparable in effectiveness to the new type Corvettes which are being turned out under pressure in British and Canadian shipyards. The cutters will be supplemented by a "mosquito fleet" of submarine chasers and other small craft which Secretary Knox has said the navy would release.

There was no hint of a decision, however, on the question of releasing additional destroyers to Britain or on the ultimate issue of using American warships manned by American crews to assure safe delivery of munitions to Britain.

Early said the cutters were built between 1928 and 1932. They comprise the so-called "Lake" class of 250-foot craft used initially to chase run runners and since repeated in such operations as the North Atlantic ice patrol and the North Pacific sea patrol.

Representing the second best group of ships in the coast guard service of some eighty-five sea-going vessels, the cutters are credited with a speed of about sixteen knots, sufficient for convoy work, although far below a destroyer's speed.

Sen. Sheppard, 65, Dies in Hospital

"Father of Prohibition" Highly Praised by Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, April 9 (AP)—President Roosevelt and other leaders expressed sorrow today over the death of Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas, the "father of prohibition," dean of Congress and chairman of the important Senate Military committee.

Sheppard, who was 65 years old, died this morning in Walter Reed hospital of a brain hemorrhage. He had served in the House ten years and in the Senate twenty-eight.

President Roosevelt issued a statement calling Sheppard a "tower of strength" in the national defense. Mr. Roosevelt said that Sheppard had "refused to heed all warnings of friends that he was overtaxing his physical resources and he has gone to his account with every obligation to duty fulfilled."

Praised by Marshall

General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff, asserted that "the rapid expansion of the army and the progress of our national defense are due in large measure to his statesmanship."

Senator Reynolds (D-N.C.) is in line for the chairmanship of the military committee to succeed Sheppard. Reynolds has been a critic of some administration foreign policy and voted against the Lend-Lease bill.

Members of the family arranged tentatively to take Sheppard's body to Texas tomorrow night, planning funeral services on Saturday in Texarkana, his home.

MINISTER DEAD



Loring Christie

Ill with a heart ailment since last November, Loring Christie, 56-year-old Canadian minister to the U. S., is dead in New York. Christie, a career diplomat since 1913, was appointed minister to the U. S. in 1939. Leighton McCarthy has been acting minister recently.

Exiled Polish Prime Minister To Visit Camp Meade Today

PORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., April 9 (AP)—General Wladyslaw Sikorski, prime minister of the Polish government in exile, will visit Port Meade tomorrow.

A message received by Colonel Gilbert M. Allen, post commander, said General Sikorski would arrive from Washington at 10 a. m., accompanied by the deputy chief of staff of the Polish forces in exile, Colonel Kikiewicz, the general's aide, Captain Zamorski, and Lieutenant Colonel J. S. Winslow of the United States army general staff corps.

General Sikorski was a visitor of President Roosevelt at the White House yesterday.

A guard of honor from the Eleventh infantry regiment, Maryland, will be drawn up in front of headquarters and a nineteen-gun salute will be fired.

The Polish general then will make a general tour of inspection of the camp, and visit Major General Milton A. Reckord, commander of the Twenty-Ninth division, at the division's headquarters.

General Sikorski is scheduled to leave later in the day for Palm Beach, Fla., to see Ignace Jan Paderewski, famous pianist and Polish leader, who is chairman of the Polish National Council.

General Sikorski came to this country from London, where the Polish government in exile has its headquarters.

Pee Wee Rees Is Injured at Baltimore

BALTIMORE, April 9 (AP)—Harold (Pee-Wee) Reese, Brooklyn Dodger shortstop, injured his left ankle in an exhibition baseball game today with the New York Yankees, and was taken to a hospital.

At the hospital, Reese was said to be "perfectly all right, with no fractures." The ball player had caught his spike in home plate. An injury last year kept Reese, a mainstay in the Dodgers' pennant hopes, out of play for a month.

Dr. George Bennett, following an examination, said Reese had suffered a sprain of his heel bone, but would be able to resume playing in a couple of days and could be expected to appear in the Dodgers' opening day lineup next Tuesday.

He was to accompany the club to Wilmington, Del., tomorrow. Reese fractured his left heel last year and had been wearing a brace on it this spring. In the fifth inning of today's game he reached home on a single by Paul Waner and his ankle gave way as he crossed the plate.

Dodgers Win Again

BALTIMORE, April 9 (AP)—Joe Medwick hit two home runs and Pete Reiser smacked one today as the Brooklyn Dodgers ran their string of exhibition victories to ten with a 5 to 2 triumph over the New York Yankees.

The Dodgers got a bad scare when Pee-Wee Reese caught his spikes in home plate while sliding in the fifth inning and hurt his left foot, the same one in which he broke a bone last season. X-ray pictures showed he suffered only a slight strain, however, and would be ready for the opening of the season.

Both Yankee runs were homers by Twink Selkirk, who broke up Kirby Higbe's shutout in the seventh and then jabbed Kemp Wicker for the other in the ninth.

After the game the Yankee and Dodger second stringers teamed up to beat the Baltimore Orioles 7 to 1 in a seven-inning game with Ernie Bonham and Arley Donald, lame back pitchers of the Yanks, holding the Orioles to two hits.

This army fled, he said, without hope of aid getting through to them from Western Greece.

British Announce E. Africa Drive Is Nearing End

Capture of Massaua Virtually Ends Long Campaign

CAIRO, Egypt, April 9 (AP)—Britain announced the virtual wind-up of the East African campaign today with the capture of the Red Sea port of Massaua, in Italian Eritrea, but acknowledged that the rear guard of the imperial forces in Libya was "heavily engaged all day" yesterday against eastward-moving Axis armored units.

"The Germans and Italians reported the capture of Derna, Libya, and the German command said six British generals and 2,000 men had been taken prisoners at El Mechili, 50 miles southwest of Derna."

Axis Forces Largest

The British announcements said numerically superior German and Italian forces were engaging the imperial troops, although asserting that the RAF was maintaining a continuous attack on Nazi-Fascist air fields in Libya, motor transports and concentrations of men.

Reporting to the House of Commons in London, Prime Minister Winston Churchill disclosed that the Germans had begun shipping large air and armored forces to Libya even before the British capture of Bengasi last Feb. 6.

He acknowledged that Balkan considerations had caused the British to hold the Eastern Libyan territory lightly and that the Germans and Italians had made a rapid attack in much greater strength than the British commanders had expected at so early a date.

Expects Hard Fighting

The British must expect hard fighting not only in Libya but in the defense of Egypt, the prime minister warned.

As a bright note he mentioned the East African successes which will free forces in that theater for the North African battles.

British East African communiques said that pursuit of the Italians in Ethiopia was being maintained and that large stocks of war materials were seized in Addis Ababa, the capital, along with two divisions of Blackshirt troops, more than sixty pilots and 1,000 men of Italian air force ground crews.

Massaua, whose capture yesterday was announced today, was the last Italian resistance center along the Red Sea shore.

German Bombers

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This broadcast was heard by NBC. The Germans also were said to be bombarding Greece with propaganda pamphlets urging the Greeks to hand their arms over to German soldiers.

This, the radio said, was termed an insult which made the Greeks more indignant.

At Piraeus, of greater importance since the fall of Salonika, the Germans sowed magnetic mines in the harbor, said a ministry of home security broadcast recorded by the CBS.

The mines were dropped during rains last night and the night before.

The Athens radio's military review recorded by CBS said more than 400,000 perfectly organized Italians await the arrival in Albania of German forces thrusting across the waist of Yugoslavia.

"The Italians did not send patrols out yesterday," the review continued, "but continued to dig trenches and place barbed-wire entanglements before their lines."

The radio said it now had been ascertained that 600 Italian prisoners, including twenty-one officers, had been captured in Monday's skirmishes.

Mt. Savage Brick

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and Maryland scale based on freight rate differences.

Although there is no "union shop" at the brickyard, it is understood that the percentage of union membership is very high.

No attempt will be made to operate the plant during the stoppage Strickland said, declaring that it was already "shut down." He added that when it reopens is now up to the management, regardless of whether the union plans only a one-day "holiday." The men will be called back and cannot return when it suits them, he said.

Celanese Celluloid Corporation Merger Is Approved

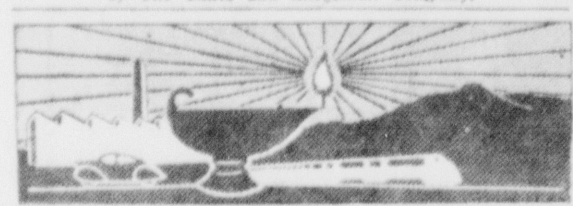
The Celanese Corporation of America stockholders yesterday approved the proposed merger of the Celuloid Corporation into the company at the annual meeting in New York City.

The merger is subject to the action of the Celuloid stockholders today.

Referring to the advantages of the move, Dr. Camille Dreyfus, president of the Celanese Corporation

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The Split Legislative Session Scheme

IN a worthy endeavor to bring about the tumultuous last-minute jams in the General Assembly and their attendant evils, Senator Frank J. Flynn, of the Fifth Baltimore district, has announced that he will ask the state Legislative Council at its next session to consider an amendment to the constitution providing for a split session of the legislature.

The plan that Senator Flynn has in mind would continue the existing ninety-day limit on the length of the legislative sessions; but, instead of meeting in a continuous three-month session, the legislators would assemble for sixty days, adjourn in recess for a month and meet again for a final thirty-day session. Thus in reality there would be a four-month legislature.

During the recess, the governor would be required to act upon all bills enacted during the first two months of the session. Any bills vetoed by him would automatically go before the legislature for reconsideration upon its re-assembling. There would be a prohibition upon the introduction of new bills during the final thirty days, unless four-fifths of the membership assented.

Coupled with the main purpose of Senator Flynn's plan to end the last-minute legislative jam are the correction of the "absolute veto" under which recent governors have pre-empted powers which the constitution contemplated the legislature should exercise, and opportunity for the people back home to study proposed legislation during the legislative recess.

These objectives are commendable, but before the plan is taken up as an adequate corrective, it would be well to examine the disappointing experience the state of West Virginia had with the same scheme. As a medicine there it proved to be worse than the ailments it was designed to cure, and it was abolished.

Originally the West Virginia legislative session was limited to forty-five days, although it could be extended, and it frequently was, by concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each house. Since 1875 the legislature has been required, by the constitution, to meet biennially on the second Wednesday of January.

The split session plan was ratified at the general election in 1920. With the exception of extraordinary sessions, all meetings of the legislature were to continue in session for a period not exceeding fifteen days, "during which time no bill shall be passed or rejected, unless the same shall be necessary to provide for a public emergency, shall be recommended by the governor and passed by a vote of four-fifths of the members elected to each house; whereupon a recess of both houses must be taken until the Wednesday after the second Monday of March following." Then, when the session was resumed no bills could be introduced in either house without a three-fourths vote of elected members, and this session was limited to forty-five days unless an extension was voted by two-thirds of the elected members of both houses.

The plan was hailed as a deliverance from hastily-considered legislation and last-minute jams. But, alas, neither objective was achieved. For one thing, legislators would dump sketchily-drawn bills into the hoppers from which the people back home could get no clear idea of their ultimate scope or purpose during the legislative recess; and many even dumped in bills with nothing more than their titles and enacting clauses included. And the last-minute jamming was worse than ever because much valuable time was lost in the introductory period and became the skeleton bills had to be completed.

There was also another handicap at the time by reason of the fact that an incoming governor and his administration did not take office until March 4, and the new legislature felt disinclined to act upon a program reflected by the people in the election of a new legislature until the new governor and his aides should take office. Hence, all work of the first period of the legislature was virtually null in those years in which the state administration changed. That difficulty was removed later, when a constitutional amendment required the governor and other state elective officials to take office the "first Monday after the second Wednesday of January next after election." But that did not come until 1934, and the split legislative plan was done away with in 1927. So unsatisfactory was the experience that no proposal has ever been made since to try again even an improved plan of the kind.

The Maryland State Legislative Council has already given some study to the last-minute legislative jams and in its report to the General Assembly last December recommended that the rules of both the House and the Senate should be amended to provide that no bills could be introduced during the last twenty days, instead of the last ten days of the session as now provided by the state constitution. It was felt that since most of the bills of the several state departments, boards and commissions would be ready for introduction at the beginning of the session, it would be possible for committees to give hearings and report bills in the

session that has been the custom heretofore and that this would also tend to reduce the number of bills ordinarily considered during the closing days of the session.

The trouble about the existing legislative arrangement is that too many senators and delegates deliberately delay bills for the opportunity of log-rolling and pushing them through without due consideration in the closing days of the session. It is palpable that something should be done to minimize that practice, but it is doubtful that a split legislative plan would answer the bill, judging from the woeful experience over in West Virginia.

Familiar Pattern Is Being Followed

HIS EMPIRE is again being extended by the new Masque of the Red Death. Founded on blood and tears and lies, it creeps across the map of Europe leaving in its path a crimson stain. A frantic *fuehrer*, uttering blasphemies of peace, brings the curse of war and conquest to peoples whose only guilt is love of liberty.

So familiar now is the pattern of Nazi aggression that the invasion of Yugoslavia seems like a remembered dream, or something that has happened before. When the Quislings of the Belgrade government signed away their country's freedom and were disowned by the young king and all his subjects, the German propaganda and military machines got to work. In the Berlin press appeared reports of Yugoslav persecutions of Germans. A nation, cried the "editors," that does not keep its promises deserves destruction—a grim comedy line that only Hitler's pagan gods can laugh at.

To Greece went Hitler's assurance that the Nazi columns striking at Salonika were not coming as enemies of the Greek people but as friends to protect them from the British. With bland unconcern for logic, the Nazi propaganda mill was telling the Yugoslavian people of a secret clause in the pact signed by their one-time leaders, a clause which promised that after an Axis victory Yugoslavia would be given an outlet to the Aegean Sea "at the expense of Greece."

The Axis military method too is familiar. With Italians co-operating, the Germans have bombed Belgrade mercilessly, although the capital had been declared an open city and the government had evacuated it. And still the British spare Rome!

Nazi divisions numbering more than half a million are invading Yugoslavia from Germany, from Rumania, from Bulgaria, and Greece in a two-pronged thrust from Bulgaria. Initial gains made by the Germans make it difficult to believe that the invader can be stopped in the Balkans. Yet he must be stopped somehow if Britain is to maintain its hold in the Mediterranean.

Where Are All Those Nickels?

FOR ALMOST SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS the United States mint has been coining nickels, a strange name for a coin consisting mostly of copper. However, the nation already had its coppers and a nickel by any other name would be as useful in the nation's pocket or pocket-book.

Americans are reminded of the importance of the nickel in their national life by an announcement that the two billionth nickel has recently been put into circulation. Where are they all? One wonders how many of them have been lost on land or at sea. Except for those that have been withdrawn officially, they are wanderers, hardly valuable enough to attract the hoarder, far too useful to stay long in any one pocket or cash register.

The very thought of following a nickel's itinerary through the United States produces a dizzy sensation. Almost two billion small coins, buffalos and Indian heads for the most part, bearing inscriptions as pertinent today as they have ever been in the past, flow in a steady silvery—or nickeled—stream from person to person, from store to store, from city to city. The word "Liberty" and the phrase *E Pluribus Unum* must still be the watchwords of America, although the newly-coined nickels no longer honor the Indian or the buffalo.

The two billionth nickel vanishes into the stream of coins without a splash. The proverbial needle in a haystack is not so lost.

Divorces in Great Britain show a considerable decline—news item. Naturally, with nightly air raids going on there is no sense in staging a family row—the neighbors can't hear you.

They Wouldn't Go Back

By MARSHALL MASLIN

During the worst days of our depression, before the stream of refugees started moving in our direction from Europe, I used to like to talk to many "foreigners."

I talked to Germans. I talked to Italians. I talked to Belgians. I talked to Swedes, Danes and Icelanders. I talked to Spaniards, Russians and Lithuanians. . . . And almost always I talked to them about how life was like when they were young in the "old country." When I did that they had a tender light of reminiscence in their eyes as they turned over the pages of the past.

Most of them admitted they weren't doing so well here, either. Some of them weren't working. Others had jobs at meager pay.

But when finally I came up with the question, "Would you go back if you could?"—do you know what they said?

Every one of them lifted his shoulders a little and replied in a flash, "I should say NOT; this is the place for me and my family!"

What, this country, I'd say! This country where you can't get a job where you haven't a dime in the bank and you don't know where day after tomorrow's meal is coming from? This country, where some of your dreams have come true but most of them haven't? You'd rather stay here than go back to that old motherland of your fathers and grandfathers?

Sure, that's right! They'd answer. Some of them had tried going back and found it didn't work. They'd gone back for visits, intending to stay if they liked it—to Belgium, to Germany, to France, intending to stay six months, anyway, and had come home in three. Yes, "home" that was the word they all used. Here was home to them, here was the land where they were better, happier, more like MEN. . . . That was true of them five and ten years ago, and it is more emphatically true for them now.

And everytime I had that conversation it's made me ashamed of myself. Everytime it made me prouder than ever of my own, my native land. . . . Wouldn't it have the same good, clean effect on you?

Johnson Reports Far West Labor Situation Good

By GEN. HUGH S. JOHNSON

SAN FRANCISCO, April 9—Just a few days in an industrial area like the Pacific Coast gives not enough time for a carefully checked survey of even one segment of a thing of so much national importance as labor unrest.



Hugh S. Johnson

But it isn't hard to get a pretty good general impression—a sort of composite "smell" in which any important unpleasant odor would surely be apparent.

Speaking relatively only and comparing the tenseness in the East and Middle West with the comparative calm on the coast, this general situation is the best in the country. Comparing it from another angle with the ferment of the threatened San Francisco general strike and whole West Coast condition six-and-a-half years ago, it is a paradise.

Are Key Points

The Pacific Coast ship-building and ship-operating industries are key points in national defense. In the former and, to some extent, in the latter, a kind of consortium has been reached out here on a coast-wise basis. In this labor, industry and government all seem to be in agreement. Most remarkable of all both CIO and AFL unions are co-operating in fairly cordial relations.

Too much generalization is a mistake because the situation is far from simple. Part of the coastal ship-building labor is CIO, part is AFL. In AFL at least two very important separate unions are involved.

Cargo-handling unions and many ship-operating unions are CIO. Yet there seems to be a sufficient understanding among all these jarring elements to create something that looks to me, at first glance, at least, to be not merely industry-wide unionism but unionism covering one whole integrated industrial area. In view of the fact that the heart of the whole CIO vs AFL row is craft vs industrial unionism, this is a harbinger of great hope. This writer insisted that there need be no irreconcilable difference here. On our West Coast this opinion seems to be now confirmed.

Elsewhere Also

As the San Francisco Examiner remarked in an editorial, "if industry and labor here can sit down and work out their problems on a long range basis, making whatever sacrifices of selfish interest that may be necessary in the recognition of a general obligation, why cannot this be done elsewhere, in all industries all over the country?" Why indeed? "Both houses of labor, the craft unionists of AFL and the industrial unionists of the CIO are in full agreement."

This latter remark applied only to the ship-building industry but I believe that about the same conclusion applies to the ship operating industry. Management and labor on this coast are agreed that, in the paramount interest of national defense, there shall be neither strikes nor lock-outs.

The editorial continues:

"The conference, however, did not stop here. It has taken up such basic matters as over-all wage scales, overtime provisions, shift work-differential and related matters. What is being done today by shipyard management and labor in San Francisco, should have a telling nationwide effect."

The flesh of the extremely complex organizational situation out here may be weak but, as this column reported from Los Angeles, the spirit seems to be so willing that it should stand as an example to the threatening small-time bickering in other parts of the country.

This is not to say that all is sweetness and light. Some wage scales and other concessions, squeezed out by government pressure leave a question of their economic justification. All companies have not

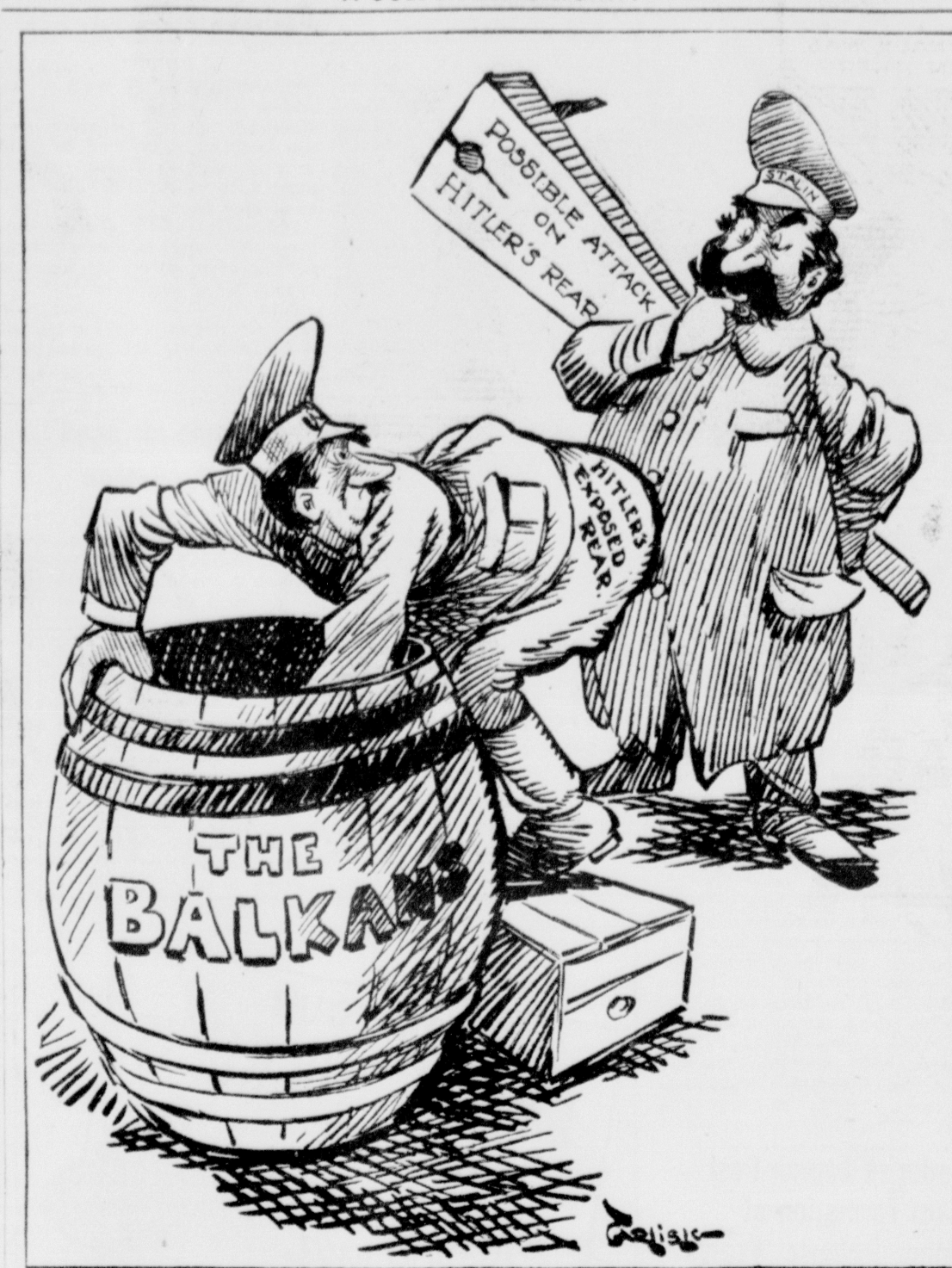
"THE NEXT 100 DAYS"



John D. Biggers

John D. Biggers, director of the OPM production division, tells the House military affairs committee that America's safety depends entirely upon "the next 100 days" of defense output. He declared production has been impeded both by industry and labor alike.

A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY



Soviet Envoy Finds Himself Popular As Result of Friendship for Turkey

By CHARLES P. STEWART
 Central Press Columnist

Comrade Constantine A. Oumansky, Moscow's ambassador here, is up against a new experience. He

actually is quite popular in Washington. The State department not only is glad to see him when he calls; it urges him to drop in more and more frequently. Secretary Hull and Under-Secretary Welles give him warm handshakes. Newspapermen head into his embassy and, after talking with him, beat it out to write almost friendly stories about the Soviet republics.

Editor The Cumberland News:

There should be a union of democracies on each continent with three branches as, legislative, judicial and executive. These should be further united to form a much stronger union of all the democracies of the world with similar units of government.

There should be international districts set aside for each with suitable buildings. A feature much needed would be a world criminal court which would try all cases of racial and other oppression, tyranny, cruelty, aggression, invasion and other acts designed to destroy the freedom of a people.

Each continental union should be governed by the grand union as to the type of constitution adopted.

Each nation represented could have two senators and three representatives elected by the people.

No member should have the right to secede. The force and power of each union would be sustained by the full military strength of each member to the utmost.

With such a world democratic force tyrannical threats to liberty and freedom could be forever banished from the earth or reduced to impotency.

One main aim should be to equalize prices of materials and labor skilled, professional and unskilled with like working conditions throughout the world.

There should also be a war on disease, ignorance and pollution of air, water and soil throughout the world. Poor houses should be abolished and old age pensions with home medical attention to all aged and indigent throughout the world, and there should be unstinted, unlimited complete education in arts, sciences, professions, fine arts and technical callings free to all in this union of nations.

BENJAMIN MEYERS

Meversdale, Pa.

April 7, 1941.

Factographs

An aerial passenger tramway four miles long with an altitude rate of 4,000 feet has been authorized by the Colorado state legislature, to connect the town of Ashcroft and the crest of Mount Hayden.

Growth of city population in the last decade was 7.9 percent compared with 27.3 percent in the decade 1920-30, according to the Census bureau.

New York City is 325 years old. Alexander Hamilton once lived on Wall Street, New York.

Portugal has fewer than 6,000,000 inhabitants.

The King James Bible was issued in 1611.

came into power, but Serbs remain as the nub of Yugoslavia, and they're violently anti-German—and are dandy scrappers, though not overly equipped for warfare.

Now if Hitler has Serbian Yugoslavia on his hands, plus Greece, plus pro-Zog Albania, plus Turkey, plus all the help Britain can give him, plus all sorts of supplies from the United States and minus any effective help from Italy and without any effective Japanese aid in that field of operations—went such a combination be calculated to worry him—with another war on his opposite front?

And then add the Soviets, if they can be wished into the aggregation!

They'd Be Handy

It makes no difference whether you like Communists or not. It's a situation in which Russia can come in handy from the democracies' standpoint—as an anti-Axis belligerent if available, or even as a pro-democratic neutral if that's the best that can be squeezed out of the Moscow government.

So Ambassador Oumansky isn't merely being treated with an increased amount of consideration. He's being definitely played up to, with a view to getting pro-democratic reports to Moscow out of him.

If the Axis can be licked, the Communists can be attended to later.

Just at the moment Congressional Anti-American Investigator Martin Dies, with all his anti-Communist talk, is a nuisance.

Economic Madness

From the Pittsburgh Press

Not satisfied with urging a \$1-340,000,000 farm subsidy bill—the biggest in history—the Senate Agriculture committee has voted unanimously for legislation to withhold the entire huge cotton surplus from the commercial market for the duration of the European war.

The defense program will increase the purchasing power of American consumers—if the cost of living stays within reason. That will provide a better market for farm products and for at least part of the farm surpluses. But this proposal to withhold surplus cotton, which would create a precedent for withholding other surpluses, is an attempt to create an artificial scarcity and that would increase the cost of living.

The consumers, as taxpayers, would suffer from a farm subsidy bill nearly half a billion dollars bigger than the president's budget estimate and nearly a third of a billion bigger than last year's appropriations. The consumers would get it in the neck from the artificial scarcities, which might be enough to start the cost of living on another skyrocket.

And at the end of the war there would be the huge surpluses, undiminished, as an unsolved agricultural problem at a time when the country will have too many other problems to deal with.

The government is spending multi-billions for defense and aid to Britain, and at the same time many internal pressure groups are demanding greatly increased government benefits. And many members of Congress, discarding all thought of prudence, all efforts to control non-defense extravagance, seem entirely willing to let the country in for a riot of economic madness.

Life Story Is Not Always in Face, Studies Disclose

By EDWIN C. HILL

The current eighty-first birthday celebration of Dr. Holmes W. Merton is a reminder that there is still in wide circulation in this country a lot of home-brew philosophy that people in the big towns don't know about. Carrying on where the phrenologists left off, Dr. Merton has, for sixty years or more, been reading the "story of man" in the face, and devised means of fitting men into their jobs, founding and directing the Merton Institute for Personnel Guidance, with studies in 1,500 basic occupations.

As Dr. Merton has put it, he found for each of these vocations "a different fifteen per cent of the face was proportionately the same in each successful man or woman in the same vocation, and the faces of unsuccessful men and women were not in the same proportion as those of successful people in the same occupation."

It is obvious that much is written clearly in the human countenance, and shrewd men who have much intercourse with their fellows become quick and accurate readers. We have clung to the idea that we may learn to appraise another man quickly by noting certain specific lines of his features—the droop of an eyelid, the set of his mouth, the flare of the nostrils.

Deep in Studies

Around the turn of the century, and for a few earlier decades, rural America, as contrasted with the cities, was deep in studies of physiognomy, and lectures on physiognomy were run-up to "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and "Innomar the Barbarian," at the opera house.

Late in this era, these various theories of face and head-reading found high sanction in the books of Cesare Lombroso, Italian physician, criminologist and psychiatrist. His findings were too far over the zone of pathology to fit into the hopeful endeavors of the American light-bringers, but for a decade or more they gave scientific validity to the theory that you could reconstruct a man's character from some revealing line of his face.

Lombroso offered many stigmata, principally of criminal or degenerate trends, by which one instantly could peg another as a dependable citizen or a bad egg. His books carried vivid illustrations of the wicked line of an ear lobe, or a predatory line of a lip or nostril. It was a disquieting reading. Not even the most dutiful church-goer could read them without finding in his own countenance some stigma of latent or lurking villainy. And when the top-bracket medics got around to it they routed the Lombroso theories straight for the ashcan, where they now rest in peace.

Problem Is Complicated

On the whole, it seems that the returns aren't yet all in when it comes to finding an entire life story and a revelation of mind and spirit, written in the face. The modern psychologists have complicated the problem a lot by their discovery of dark recesses of the spirit behind the seemingly facade of an apparently untroubled countenance. And so have the geneticists who find inherited traits with no discoverable physical basis whatever.

One of George Ade's most interesting "fables" has to do with the fact that you can't always read people from the outside looking in. In a certain law school there was a scraggy youth who had a chain-lightning mind, but who, on all other counts, would have been voted the least likely to succeed. He was scrubby and unkempt and he had an unpleasant, rasping voice. But he knew more law than the professors themselves.

There was another student who would have batted one thousand in any physiognomy test. He was a big, handsome chap, with a fine, resonant voice, ingratiating manners and the general specifications of a fledgling United States Senator. But he had become only slightly indoctrinated with law.

Successful Teaming

Years passed. The smart little man was a wash-out, in a dingy little fly-specked office with no customers. His lack of a "front," and related shortcomings had lost every case he ever tried in court, although he could write a copper-plate bribe. One day a big, imposing, Daniel Webster chap came in to sell law books. It was the little man's old classmate. He had been blanked as a lawyer because he was too dumb to learn any law.

They talked over old times, and then the book-salesman uncoiled a big idea. They teamed up. Thereafter, the runt would announce to the court and jury that the argument would be made by the "disunghashed associate counsel." Then, with his pipe-organ voice, the big chap would render his partner's brief. They always won in a wash and lived happily ever after. And it seems quite unlikely that any physiognomist, giving the little man the once-over, would have found his brains revealed in his chin or his eyebrow, or would have deduced from the big chap's handsome features the fact that he was all sawdust inside.

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Morning Motto

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Sleeping Beauty Shows Signs of Re-awakening

Philadelphia Girl Has Lain Unconscious for Three Months

PHILADELPHIA, April 8. (AP)—An Easter-tide awakening has brought hope of life again for Miss Ruth Stevenson who for more than three months has lain unconscious at death's door.

Only a few days ago, medical science succeeded in breaking the coma that had engulfed the 22-year-old brunette since she was injured seriously last Christmas day in an automobile accident in which her boy friend was killed.

Temple University hospital physicians would not commit themselves on whether the turning point in Ruth's battle for life has been passed, but there is a tangible feeling of optimism around the ward where the young woman lies.

Jubilant relatives reported the girl had recognized them for the first time, then turned to some Easter daffodils they had brought in, lifted a blossom to her face and smelled it.

The sleeping beauty was fed for weeks with a stomach tube, but now is taking nourishment by mouth. Relatives are optimistic she soon will be able to sit up.

Physicians have explained that the girl's prolonged coma—one of the longest on record—is not to be confused with sleeping sickness. It resulted, they believed, from the loss of blood she suffered and in-



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MARYLAND ROADS RELATIVELY FREE OF FROST DAMAGE

BALTIMORE, Md., April 9. (AP)—Maryland's state highway system is relatively free of the frost damage usually wreaked during the winter months, according to Robert M. Reindollar, assistant chief engineer of the state roads commission.

Reindollar said a state-wide survey by the district offices disclosed that the roads came through the winter much better than they did a year ago.

"This does not mean there were no breaks in the surface," he added, "but where they did occur, they were not extensive."

"The worst sections are along the Washington boulevard, and on that section of the Philadelphia road between Baltimore and Aberdeen. There are numerous fractures in the concrete surface which will require considerable patching."

Reindollar attributed the damage on these two highways to the concentration of heavy truck traffic. The assistant engineer said several factors explained the absence of wide-spread damage by frosts.

"The winter was not a severe one, and the ground did not freeze to any considerable depth when it was

thoroughly saturated with water, with the resulting frost heave and weakening of the sub-grade at a time when it was thawing out," he said.

Reindollar pointed out that an extensive resurfacing program was carried out by the commission last year, and that maintenance crews had attempted to improve drainage conditions so as to keep water from the surface and sub-grade of the roads.

The best sand suitable for making lenses comes from Pennsylvania and West Virginia in districts that were covered by the ocean thousands of years ago, reports the Better Vision Institute.

Easter Services Will Be Held at Fort Meade Sunday

FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., April 9. (AP)—Special Easter services will be held Sunday for the entire personnel of Fort Meade, their relatives and friends and citizens from near-by communities.

The services, which will take place on the parade ground West of Twenty-Ninth Division headquarters, will begin at 9:30 a. m. If the weather does not permit outdoor services, they will be held at division commanding general of the Twenty-

motion picture theater No. 3, Chamberlain and Seventh streets.

Services will be under the auspices of the nine Protestant chaplains of the division. Lieut. Col. Frederick C. Reynolds, former pastor of Grace Methodist church, Baltimore, is division chaplain.

The Rt. Rev. Adna W. Leonard, bishop of the Methodist church, Washington, D. C., will preach the sermon and the choir of St. Philip's Episcopal church, Laurel, Md., will furnish special music.

A massed band from the division, directed by warrant officer Meyer Goldman, will play a sacred concert starting at 9 o'clock. Major General Milton A. Reckord, services, they will be held at division commanding general of the Twenty-

Ninth division, has asked that every male police annually. Most of them, member who is in camp Sunday, came from Europe and many were re-exported to the United States. After the band concert there will be a meeting of the colors, with a color guard from each regiment present, and professional in which all commanding officers have been asked to participate.

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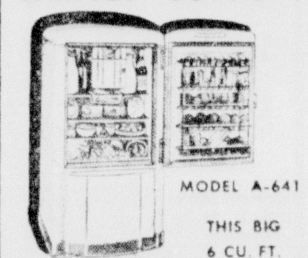
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Local Girl and Leechburg, Pa., Man Will Be Married at 7:45 p. m. Today

Miss Sara Jane Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Gray, Leechburg, Pa., and Harry Schramm, son of George Schramm, 218 Schley street, will be married at 7:45 o'clock this evening, at the First Presbyterian church, Leechburg, the pastor officiating.

Mrs. John Rarich, sister of the bride, will be matron of honor. George Nelson Schramm will be his brother's best man.

The bride is a graduate of Indiana State Teacher college, Indiana, Pa., and of the University of Pittsburgh.

Mr. Schramm is a graduate of Allegheny high school this city, and the University of Maryland, College Park. He is now employed as engineer by Carnegie Illinois Sheet and Tin-Plate Mill of Vandegrift, Pa.

Following the wedding a reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents. The bride and bridegroom will leave for New York and other Eastern cities by plane.

Mr. and Mrs. Schramm will reside in Leechburg.

To Be Married Easter

Miss Elizabeth Haugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haugh, has chosen Easter Sunday for her wedding day.

Immediately following the sunrise service Miss Haugh and James Twigg, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. S. Twigg, Oldtown, will be married at the Oldtown Methodist church by the Rev. James A. Richards.

Aid Local Relief

Recently the Community Sewing Service for War Relief has been concentrating on local relief, aiding families, the Children's Emergency Home Valley road, the Red Cross Associated Charities, American Friends Service committee, and Bundles for Britain.

The group, under the direction of Mrs. W. Carl White, meet each Wednesday at the lecture hall of the First Presbyterian church, Washington street. Approximately 150 women have assisted in the project and completed over forty five hundred articles as dresses, socks, sweaters, layettes, blankets and underwear. The group depends on voluntary contributions of material and money, which may be made to Mrs. Max Spear, treasurer, at the Spear Jewelry store, Baltimore street.

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Scouts Are Invested

An unusual event took place yesterday afternoon on the lawn at the county home, when Girl Scout Troop No. 9, of SS Peter and Paul's school invested Rose Stakem, Frances King, Ann Weismiller, Marjorie Miller, Margaret Geatz and Mary Catherine Nieman, following the color ceremony. All the residents of the home who were able came down to the porch to witness the ceremony, those unable to come down watched from the windows.

A melodrama, "Pokey Hunties" ad a play, "Johnnie Appleseed" were presented. Margaret Geatz taking the part of Johnnie Appleseed and Ann Shireman and Katherine Kelly the hunters presented each resident with an apple, and visited those unable to leave their beds.

Those attending included Mrs. Wray F. Doerner, leader; Mrs. J. C. Challinor, assistant leader; Mrs. Richard F. McMullen, Mrs. William Keller, Mrs. A. L. Miller, Mrs. Louis Lippold, Mrs. H. C. Martin, Mrs. Richard Shireman, and Mrs. Samuel Drubeck, Troop committee women; and thirty-five Scouts.

To Take Course

Fifteen members of Girl Scout Troop No. 15 have enrolled for a Junior Red Cross first aid course under the direction of Mrs. Jesse Cooke.

Those taking the course are Barbara Cooper, Betty Dyson, Marjory

Cooper, Ethel Davis, Margaret Penwick, Francis Frisby, Betty Gilmore, Lois Gilmore, Sarah Jones, Mary Meade, Bernice Pearson, Jean Pough, Madeline Mann, Georgianna Summers and Pearlina Washington.

Bride-Elect Honored

Miss Elizabeth Watkins entertained with a buffet supper and linen shower in a setting of yellow and white spring flowers at her home, 123 Race street, last evening in honor of Miss Ruth Weber, bride-elect.

Guests included Miss Catherine Weber, Miss Grace Weber, Miss Helen Tasker, Mrs. Charles Balcman, Washington, D. C., Miss Esther Fisher, Baltimore, Mrs. Cornfield Patterson, Mrs. Edward Pradiska, Miss Wanda Hoyl, Miss Meredith Kelley, Miss Lucile Rippetoe, Miss Margaret Kerecker, Miss Louise Wilson, Mrs. Robert Parker, Mrs. William L. Claus, Mrs. William Grimm and Mrs. Catherine Doolan, Lonaconing.

Engagement Is Revealed

The engagement of Miss Mary Lee Mower to J. Edward Trost, has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Edgar T. Mower, 514 Sheridan place.

Miss Mower is a graduate of Port Hill high school and is employed at McCrory's. Mr. Trost, the son of Mrs. George W. Mossman, 502 Franklin street, attended Allegheny high school and is employed at the Celanese Corporation.

The wedding will take place in early May.

Honor Mrs. Compton

Mrs. R. E. Compton was honored with a surprise birthday party yesterday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Harvey Schockley, 210 Schley street. Mrs. Compton, active in civic affairs, received many gifts. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Mrs. Charles Callis, Mrs. Arthur Hollar, Mrs. P. Dailey, Mrs. A. Kesseker, Mrs. John Moffett, Mrs. David Allender, Mrs. G. W. Apple, Mrs. Ray Van Horn, Mrs. James Thomas, Mrs. Ralph Rice, Mrs. Frank Mills, Mrs. Ernest Screen, Mrs. Willard Riges, Mrs. G. H. Spiker, Mrs. John Baldwin, Miss Flora Mahaney, Miss Grace Light, Miss Edith Screen, Miss Isabelle Screen, George Rices, Oliver Rice and the Rev. and Mrs. C. M. LeFev.

Auxiliary Plans Supper

The ladies' auxiliary of Townsend Club No. 1 will hold a supper Tuesday, April 22, from 5 to 8 p. m., on the third floor of the I. O. O. F. building, South Mechanic street. It was previously announced that the supper would be held Tuesday, April 15.

Plan Card Party

Plans were made to hold a card party and luncheon, May 2, at the Emmanuel parish house, Washington street, at the meeting Tuesday morning of the Woman's Auxiliary of Emmanuel Episcopal church. Mrs. William Torkington was ap-

pointed chairman of arrangements. Following the business meeting Mrs. T. A. Shires spoke on the Chinese Industrial Co-operatives, giving their history and development and explaining this phase of the constructive program in China today. This was one of the series of study groups to get better acquainted with modern China.

Sorority Meets

A Founders day dinner will be held at 6 o'clock, April 30, at the Fort Cumberland hotel, it was decided by the Beta Sigma Phi sorority at their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, at the Fort Cumberland hotel.

Miss Mary McGraw gave a book report on "The Flowering Thorn" by Marjory Short.

The California State Automobile Association points out that it takes 30 percent more gasoline to travel at 60 miles an hour than to travel at 40.

PERSONAL

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Elks Club To Become Spring Garden For Crippled Children League Dance

Spring will hold sway at the sixth annual ball for the Allegheny County League for Crippled Children, to be held April 25, at the Elks club. The club will be transformed into a spring garden for the occasion. An elaborate supper will be served from 9:30 to 3 o'clock, reservations are already being made.

Plans Are Made For Scout Camp

A junior camp committee will be organized at a special meeting April

19, at Girl Scout headquarters, 72 Greene street, which will formulate plans for a play day and evening camp fire at 4 o'clock, May 27, at Constitution park. It was decided yesterday at the meeting of the Girl Scout Camp Committee, at headquarters.

A contest was also planned for all Scouts to make camp posters, which will be displayed at headquarters May 1, for all scouts to vote for the three winners. These will then be displayed in a store window downtown. Others will be used for publicity.

Plans were also made for camping season at Camp Cal-u-tu-cue, Pavis, Pa., under the chairmanship of Mrs. Fulcher P. Smith. The camp will be opened June 29.

Members present were Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Joseph Williams, Mrs. W. L. Keller, Mrs. Hugo Keller, Mrs. Ronald Pitcher, Miss Elizabeth Johnson and Miss Florence Ann Schlott.

Scholarships Awarded

Miss Angela Matthal and Miss Jane Collins were selected for the Leaders Association Scholarship training course, June 16, at Camp Barree, Barree, Pa., at the Leaders Association meeting last evening at Girl Scout headquarters, 72 Greene street.

Miss Mary Shriver presided and accepted the committee's list of qualifications for the leaders training course scholarship. This is the first time the association has awarded a scholarship. Miss Elizabeth spoke on the poster contest May 1, and the service bureau work.

Those present Mrs. Peter William Smith, Mrs. Frederick Hetzel, Mrs. Maxine Millenson, Miss Myrtle Lee, Miss Angela Matthal, Miss Jane Collins, Miss Elizabeth Johnson and Miss Florence Ann Schlott.

Events in Brief

A floor show has been planned and Reed Baines orchestra, Elkins, W. Va., has been engaged for the Cumberland Lodge No. 63, B. P. O. Elks Easter dance, which will start at 10 o'clock Saturday evening and continue until 2 o'clock Sunday morning.

A clothing demonstration will be given and a delegate for the short course chosen by the Flintstone Homemakers club at their meeting Friday evening at Flintstone high school.

Chapter 214, Women of the Moose, will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at the Moose hall, Beall street.

The Ladies Aid Society, of Trinity Lutheran church, will conduct an Easter sale, Saturday, at 82 North

Centre street. Easter eggs, flowers and baked goods will be sold.

Albert Carlson announced the spring opening of the Cumberland Country Club will be held May 3 and the Ladies Golf Club will hold their first meeting of the season May 6. Notices were received yesterday for the Easter dance to be held Saturday evening.

Personals

Miss Ann Tennant, 101 Washington street, is a patient at Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David J. Mateer and Mr. and Mrs. Grant U. Wiebel have returned to Cumberland after visiting the former's son, William Mateer, Quartermaster Corps, Camp Belvoir, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. William Izat, 343 Bedford street, had as their house guests, Miss Mary Alice Fletcher and Paul F. Izat, Baltimore.

Dayton Harold has returned to his home, Mt. Savage road, from Memorial hospital.

Mrs. A. H. Amick Jr., and Mrs. John Laury have returned from Washington, D. C. Mrs. Lucy is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. H. Amick Sr., 505 Washington street.

Mrs. John G. Lynn has returned to her home, 525 Cumberland street, after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coladay, Wilmington, Del., who recently moved there from Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Joseph Elliott and daughters Mary Ann and Betsy are visiting Mrs. Elliott's mother, Mrs. Annie R. Dickey, 219 Washington street.

Miss Mary Rice will leave tonight for Du Bois, Pa., where she will spend the Easter holidays.

Henry Mackey, student at Georgetown University, Washington, D. C. and John Mackey, student at Holy Cross, Boston, Mass., are spending the Easter vacation with their mother, Mrs. Henry Mackey, 515 Washington street.

Mrs. Arthur P. Jones, 522 Washington street, is a patient at Memorial hospital.

Dr. William A. Gracie has returned to his home, 630 Washington street, from a fishing trip in Florida.

Mrs. R. R. Henderson is improving at her home, 519 Washington street.

Mrs. Elder Humbird and Mrs. George Schwarzenbach have returned from New York City.

Elmo Gower, 419 North Centre street, is vacationing in Florida.

Mrs. Charles J. Bruce, of Lake Gordon, is in New York.

Mrs. A. Taylor Smith returned to her home, Prospect square, yesterday after visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall De Shields, Montgomery, Ala.

Col. and Mrs. William H. Robertson have returned from a Florida vacation.

Mrs. Harry Plook, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Gunter have returned from Baltimore, where they informally celebrated Major Plook's promotion to Lieutenant-Colonel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Burkey, Mrs. Bernard Burkey, Mrs. H. T. Mattingly, Edward Burkey and Robert

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

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DON'T DOUBLE SLAMS.

IN RUBBER bridge there is nothing more foolish than doubling a hostile slam contract, which you expect to set a trick or two, unless your holding is such that you are absolutely certain to beat it, regardless of what declarer does. By means of your double, you increase the points gained by your side, if you do set it, by a very small amount. Against this is the fact that your double stands to increase the declarer's score by much more if he makes the contract. But more important still is the help your double gives him in showing him how to play the hand. If you use the double of a slam as a lead-director, of course that is a different proposition.

♠ 8 2
♥ K 7 6
♦ K 8 6 5 4
♣ J 4 2

♠ K Q 10 7
♥ 4 3
♦ J 10 7 2
♣ 10

♠ A J 9 6 5
♥ 10 4 3
♦ Q 9
♣ K Q 3

♠ None
♥ A Q J 8 5
♦ A 3
♣ A 9 8 7 6 5

(Dealer: South. North-South vulnerable.)

South West North East
1 ♠ 1 ♠ Pass 3 ♠
4 ♥ Pass Pass 5 ♥
Pass Pass 5 ♣ Dbl

North, who knew the opposing pair pretty well, and likewise his own partner, played a great game of possum by waiting as he did before speaking at all. He knew his very conservative partner had a pile of strong cards and distribution to stick in that "reverse" bid of hearts at the four level.

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over the 3-Spades. By letting that go by until the opponents over-called in their own suit, and then calling hearts, he made it possible for himself later to bid the small slam in clubs and give his partner the option between the two suits without increasing the contract.

It would have been pretty hard for East to resist the temptation to double this, especially since he expected also to double hearts because of his honors in what would then become the declarer's side suit, plus his other high cards. But later he was sorry he did it, since it enabled the declarer to make his contract.

West decided to lead the diamond J, won by the dummy's K. South then led the club J from dummy, and when East ducked he let it ride, dropping the 10. His club A next disposed of the K, and he gave up one trick. Without the double, natural play would have been to play the A on the first round of trumps, which would have lost the contract.

Tomorrow's Problem
♠ Q 5
♥ A Q 8
♦ A Q J 9 7 5
♣ 10 6

♠ 6 2
♥ 9 6 4 3
♦ K 8 6
♣ Q J 4 3

♠ A 7 4
♥ K J 5
♦ 10 3 2
♣ K 9 7 5

♠ K J 10 9 8 3
♥ 10 7 2
♦ 4
♣ A 8 2

(Dealer: West. East-West vulnerable.)

If West leads the club 3 to East's K and the declarer ducks the trick, what should East return in an effort to prevent an overtrick at 4-Spades?

Celanese Benefit Club
Vote To Set Up a Hospitalization Plan

Members of the rapidly growing Celanese Benefit Club Tuesday night voted to assess members five cents each per month to establish a fund to be used for expenses incidental to the primary operations of the organization, at a meeting in Textile Workers hall.

The additional assessment will be used for incidental expenses rather than draw the amount from the treasury.

The club also voted to set up a hospitalization plan to be managed by the regular board of directors.

According to Boyd E. Payton, in charge of the club, the hospitalization plan will be launched when 200 members have signed up.

The plan calls for the payment of hospital bills of members up to \$100. Dues will be \$1 a month.

Among the traditional Philippine virtues, chastity in a woman is as important as bravery in a man.

Eggs to rate Grade AA by government standards must weigh twenty-four ounces to the dozen.

The London passenger transport system employs 78,000 persons.

DEEP CREEK ANNUAL BEAUTY CONTEST TO BE HELD IN JULY

Frederick C. "Buck" Dreyer, sponsor of Deep Creek Lake's annual beauty contest and water carnival, announced yesterday that this year's affair will be held July 4 through July 6.

"This will without a doubt be the greatest event in the history of Garrett county," Dreyer told reporters in announcing that he had several new wrinkles up his sleeve for this year's jamboree.

The water carnival will be held Friday and Saturday, and will feature a naval battle.

A new feature of this year's carnival will be a series of water carnival balls to be held at various

points on the lake and in Garrett county Saturday night. Balls will be held at Mountain Lake Park, Cabin Lodge and in Oakland among other places.

The beauty contest will be held on Sunday and Dreyer has promised to gather up the greatest array of pulchritude ever known in the history of Western Maryland.

Barley Demonstrations Will Be Held Today

County Agent R. F. McHenry and his associates said yesterday that they would make a tour of barley demonstrations in Allegheny county today. Purpose of the inspection is to determine how well the barley experiments have withstood the winter season.

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Hudson Strode (center) talks things over with two of his successful fiction students, Edward Kimbrough and Helen Norris.

AP Feature Service
TUSCALOOSA, Ala. — Hudson Strode, a University of Alabama literature professor who never wrote a novel, has turned out four successful novels in a sideline course in creative writing.

Strode's latest winner in the tough field of fiction writing is Ed Kimbrough, author of "From Hell to Breakfast," a story of Mississippi politics.

Others are Harriet Hassell, who wrote "Rachel's Children"; Gerrie Thielen, author of "Awake My Heart"; and Helen Norris, "Something More Than Earth."

His teaching success has been recognized by a publishing house with an offer of a \$1,000 prize each year for five years for the best novel written by a class member.

Although Strode has written several successful books, among them

the recent "Finland Forever" and "The Pageant of China"—his chief duties are teaching Shakespeare, 18th century English literature and a survey of English literature.

He believes that many persons have something to say but need someone to get them started. That's what he does in his creative writing class, limited to 14 students.

"I've never suggested to anybody that he write unless I felt sure he could," Strode said, "and every one who has tried has been successful."

"I told Helen Norris one day she ought to write a novel. She was astonished at the idea, but when she returned from Christmas vacation she had the first draft of a story, 'Something More Than Earth' was the result."

Strode advises only his students. "They tell their own stories," he said. "I've never done any more than read them, but every paragraph receives a thorough going over from a jury of the student's peers—the class. By the time we get through no writer could have an ounce of self-consciousness about his work."

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To prevent these forms of spoilage, the United States Department of Agriculture advises reheating the syrup after the large can has been opened and putting it into smaller containers. If the syrup has stood for any time, of course, the first thing to do is to skim off any traces of mold that may have developed. Then bring the syrup just to the boiling point and pour it, while hot, into preheated and clean glass bottles or jars. Sealed airtight, these small bottles are especially convenient for table use.

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The cast includes Mrs. Leona Leatherman, Albert Sites, George Roberts, Miss Mildred Feaster, Miss Rosalee Gardner, Miss Thelma Harrison and Billy Agnew.

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Ellis Ewing was known as the Missions Girl. She was born of

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Isabelle Parrill vs. Edward C. Parrill, No. 14806 Equity in the Circuit Court for Allegany County.

The object and purpose of this suit is to procure a divorce a vinculo matrimonii by Isabelle P. Parrill, 25 N. Centre St., Antioch, Md., the Plaintiff, and Edward C. Parrill, the Defendant. The Plaintiff states that the parties were married on October 12, 1927, and no children have been born. That although the Plaintiff conducted herself as a kind, faithful and affectionate wife, the Defendant's conduct, from the time of the marriage, has been of such a nature as to make it impossible for the Plaintiff to cohabit with him, and that the Plaintiff has been driven to a separation of the parties, whereupon the Defendant, knowing the Plaintiff's position, has refused to live with her or to support her, and that the Plaintiff has been driven to a separation of the parties, whereupon the Defendant, knowing the Plaintiff's position, has refused to live with her or to support her, and that the Plaintiff has been driven to a separation of the parties, whereupon the Defendant, knowing the Plaintiff's position, has refused to live with her or to support her.

Whereupon, the 26th day of March, 1941, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, orders that notice of the above and substance of the Bill of Complaint be given by publication in some daily newspaper published in Allegany County, once a week for four successive weeks before the 27th day of April, next, beginning on the 13th day of April, next, and that the Plaintiff do and appear in Court, either in person or by attorney, on or before the 13th day of May, and show cause if any he has why a Decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk
True Copy, Test: ROBERT JACKSON, Clerk
Adv. N-Mat. 21 April 3-10-41.

EXCITING NOTICE

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE That the Submitter has obtained from the Orphans Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Testamentary on the estate of Edward A. Shaw, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same with vouchers therefor, duly authenticated, to the undersigned, within the 30th day of October, 1941. They may otherwise be excluded from all benefit of the said estate. All persons knowing of claims against the deceased are requested to make immediate payment.

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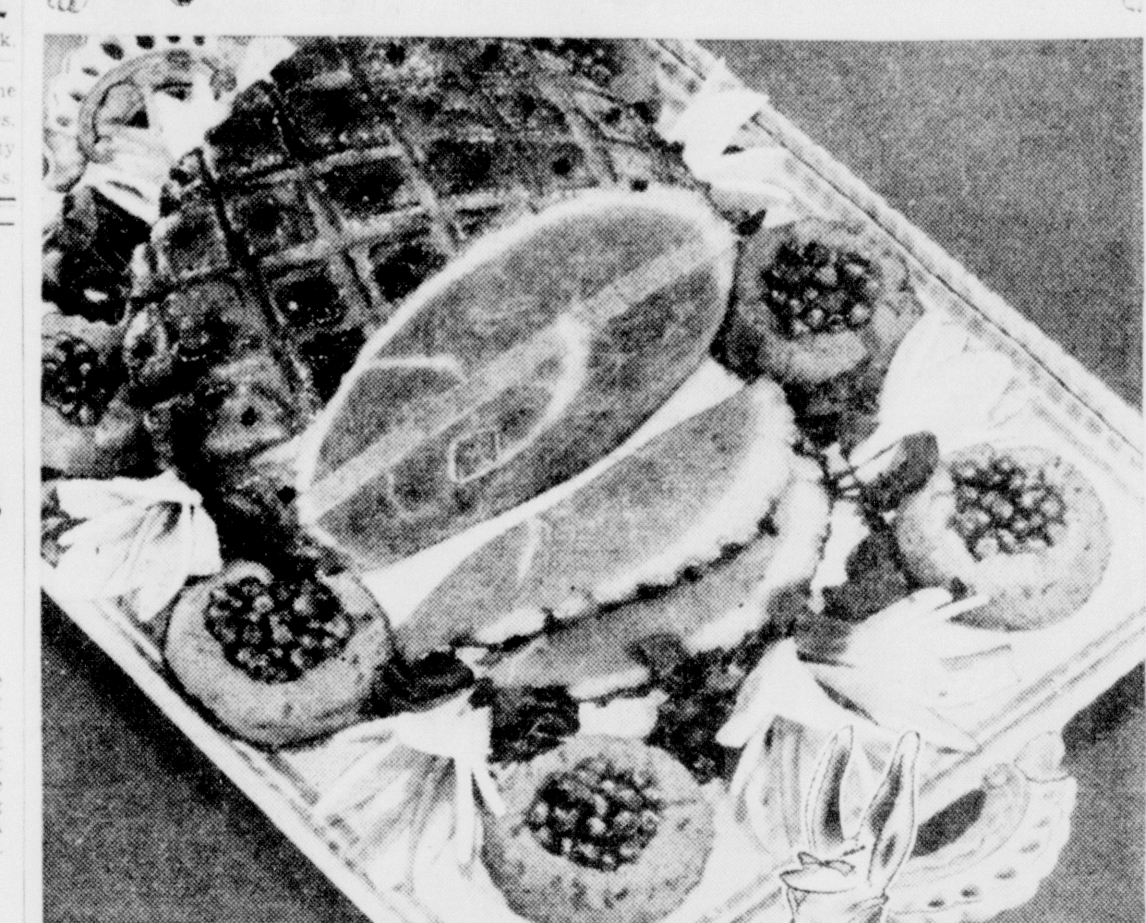
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A Very Vain Young Lady Talks Herself Out of One of the Most Popular Roles on Broadway

By EILEEN BURKE

Anna interrupted her brusquely. "Now close your eyes and don't think of anything at all. Don't



"The Fight's Not Going So Well."

and dangled in soft fluff on her shoulders. She would spend an hour over her usual professional time on Louise, brushing, shampooing vigorously, experimenting with a different part, or wave, or curl, and then standing back to admire her handiwork with satisfaction.

Louise Martin had been a customer of Anna's Beauty Shop ever since the first year she had come to New York from a little town in Minnesota. She had been alone and discouraged and had confidence in Anna immediately. "I came to have a career on the stage, but now I'm scared. New York is so big and cold and mean, Anna. It's such a hard fight—girl versus city—how do you ever win?"

Anna threw back her head and laughed heartily. "New York just looks that way to you now. Wait a few years. You can show that it's not too big for you—you don't ever be afraid that you won't win!"

Louise smiled slowly. Her eyes lighted with a fire from inside. "Thanks, Anna. I needed some words like those. At home they told me I was just plain crazy. Here, people have just laughed, or looked sorry for me when I told them that I wanted a career on the stage. I began to think that maybe the people at home were right—that it was a silly, futile attempt and that probably I was crazy."

There were months when Louise didn't come into her shop at all. She was working as a clerk in the daytime and going to dramatic school at night. Anna knew that she didn't have the money to get her hair fixed. Then, one day Louise dropped in, just to say hello. She was openly discouraged.

She dropped tiredly into a chair by the manicure table. "The fight's not going so well, Anna. I'm afraid the city is winning over the girl. Maybe the girl should go back to a nice, peaceful rut in Minnesota." Anna didn't answer.

"I haven't had any time to waste on my hair, Anna. Working all day, going to school, hunting for a break—"

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About a month later, Louise came in with excitement lighting her eyes. "Guess what, Anna. I'm understudy for Adele Lanning in her new play—'Imagine'—Louise Martin, understudy for Adele Lanning." She threw her arms around Anna and hugged her.

Anna watched the papers carefully for the scheduled opening of the play. She never went to Broadway plays but she was going to see this one. She bought an eighth row ticket the day they went on sale. Louise came in about a week before the opening.

She seemed troubled about something. "What's the matter, my dear?" Anna questioned, "Isn't everything going all right?"

"It's Miss Lanning. Honestly, Anna, she's greedy and selfish. She hates me. She hates anybody who understudies her. She's much too old for the part she's playing. The producers are actually expecting the play to close on its opening night but Adele won't give up her part to anyone else. They said the part needs a young girl with starry eyes and a soft mouth—"

"And yellow hair," Anna put in. "I'd say the part needed Miss

Louise Martin!" Her eyes snapped. "Some day, they'll see that the part needs you . . . just wait!"

"Adele Lanning will never give it up," said Louise.

It was the day before the opening when something in silver foxes and dyed blonde hair rushed into Anna's shop. "Can you give me a permanent in a hurry? That silly personal hair dresser of mine is sick and I won't trust anybody else. Somebody recommended you. I'm Miss Lanning, you know . . . Adele Lanning."

Anna looked unimpressed. "Sure, Miss Lanning, I'll give you a permanent right now."

"I want it to be a good one, nice, loose waves—of course. You know tomorrow night's the opening of my new play."

"Of course, I know," Anna said stiffly.

She gave the permanent, and while she worked on Miss Lanning's hair, the actress talked. She's her own best press agent, Anna thought, but she had to admit the talk was interesting. Adele Lanning had led an interesting life, and she spared no detail that smacked at all of good theater. In fact she talked so long and so well about herself that

Anna forgot about the waving machine. When she combed out Miss Lanning's hair, it frizzed wildly.

"Why, it looks horrible! You silly fool!" she screamed wildly at Anna. "I can't go on the stage with my hair looking like this—oh, why did I ever come to this place—I'll have you put out of business—you've burned my hair to a crisp!"

"If you hadn't talked so much about yourself," Anna said, "it wouldn't have happened."

Miss Lanning stormed out of the shop. The next day, Louise ran in all out of breath. "Lanning ruined

her hair and she refuses to go on the stage tonight. I'm taking the part. Imagine, Anna—I can't! It's a dream—it must be!"

Anna was as excited as Louise. "I told you they needed you," was all she said.

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Patience Needed With Children, Parents Attest

Mothers Praised by Myers for Making the Most of What Is

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph. D.

It is always heartening to me to hear from those who have written me before that the advice I offered them worked, rather than those parents who had the stuff in their heads to carry out the advice. Let me quote a few in today's mail.

"I have written you before on several occasions about my oldest boy and am grateful to you for the help you gave me," one wrote. "He is now in the eighth grade and is getting marvelous marks and seems to be growing up. He still has those spells of temper I wrote you about but not so bad. Your suggestion of ignoring his rage works like a charm. Of course, as I wrote you before, I am not gifted with a great amount of patience, but I think I have improved."

Good Little Girl

"I wrote you last summer concerning my 3-year-old daughter and her contrary ways," another wrote. "I thank you for the help you gave me to take a long, much-needed vacation."

"We considered your advice very good but impossible financially. My husband lost his position, and I am paying all bills at present. However, each day I read your reply over and tried to follow the other instructions—more attention to the child, more love, a calm manner and quiet voice. And most of all I tried to control myself and my nerves; to overlook trivial incidents and accidents as though they were nothing until I now have a lovely, willing, cooperative little girl of 3."

"That's what I call a victory—making the most of what is. So many mothers who should have a vacation can't. Yet some of them could master enough control of the situation to steal some time for relaxation right where they are, resting like the heart between beats."

There are some mothers who could be so much better parents if they had a bigger income, larger or more modern home, or could get away from the grandparents. Yet some of these same mothers could be very successful parents right where they are. Some are and such achievement is a great triumph. Some mothers, if they had a better husband, yet succeeding as a mother under the handicap may be a more brilliant accomplishment. Successful parenthood for most mothers and fathers comes by way of making the best of what is.

Solving Parent Problems

Q. What is the best way for a mother who supposes her husband

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Japanese Beetles Are Safe from Attack from Air

COLLEGE PARK, Md., April 9.—Japanese beetles are safe, for the moment at least, from airplane attack in Maryland's far-flung war against them.

For the State Law department says the state cannot use an airplane offered by the United States Department of Agriculture to spread a death-laden dust against the insects.

In an opinion asked by Dr. E. N. Cory, state entomologist, the department said state law "prohibits any aircraft or passenger while in flight from dropping any object except loose water or ballast."

It pointed out also that trespass complaints might result from a

"Split-Session" Advocated for General Assembly

Would Prevent Last Minute "Jams" and "Delayed-Action Veto"

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 9.—A Senator-member of the Legislative Council has proposed a 60-30-30 "split session" of the state legislature designed, he said, to overcome last-minute "jams" to counter-act a "delayed-action veto" and to let legislators learn what "the people at home really think of pending legislation."

The proposal for a recess interim in the legislative session was advanced by Senator Frank Flynn (D-fifth Baltimore), who said he would submit it to the Legislative Council. The council prepares in advance some legislation for the General Assembly.

Flynn's change would be a 60-day legislative session, 30-day recess and 30-day wind-up session, rather than a continuous 90-day session as now.

He proposed a prohibition against introduction of new bills at the final 30-day session, except by consent of four-fifths of Assembly members. This, Flynn said, would help eliminate the hectic final rush at the legislature's close.

He would make it mandatory upon the governor to approve or veto during the recess all measures passed during the first 60 days, so that upon reconvening legislators would have opportunity to attempt to override any vetoes.

Under present practice, the governor does not act upon bills—except some of emergency nature—until after the session. Legislators thus have no chance to oppose his veto.

If General Assembly members

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went home 30 days during the session. Flynn added they could learn at first-hand rather than from lobbyists "what their constituents thought of pending bills."

Mexico Expropriates Twelve Axis Ships

MEXICO CITY, April 9.—President Avila Camacho has issued a decree expropriating the twelve German and Italian merchant ships taken in custody by the Mexican navy at Tampico and Vera Cruz.

The president ordered the ministry of the navy to place crews

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Under the decree, settlement of claims against the expropriation would be deferred until the end of the European war.

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Three Deeds, Five Mortgages Are Recorded Here

Clerk's Office Reports Several Property Transactions in County

Three deeds, five mortgages, three chattel mortgages and one agreement were recorded yesterday in the clerk of courts office, Robert Jackson, clerk, said.

Deeds filed were: Patrick H. Guff and Delphia Guff to the Community Volunteer Fund Company; Lot 48, Craddock's addition, Cresaptown.

James A. Perrin and Angela M. Perrin and C. Eugene Perrin to Oliver N. Magruder and Margaret R. Magruder; Lot 46 and 45, fronting Marion street, in Cumberland Improvement Company's Eastern addition.

Henry Rainick and Mary Rainick to Raymond R. Hunt and Leona M. Hunt; parcel near Frostburg, Northwest of Consolidation Village near Reed Farm.

Mortgages filed were Oliver N. Magruder and Margaret R. Magruder to the First Federal Savings and Loan Association; \$3600, Lots 45 and 46, in the Cumberland Improvement Company's Eastern addition.

Oliver N. Magruder and Margaret R. Magruder to James A. Perrin and C. Eugene Perrin; \$900, Lots 46 and 45, Cumberland Improvement Company's Eastern addition.

Anton Anthony and Alexandre Anthony to the Liberty Trust Company; \$6000, parcel on Bedford street, part of lot 32 in Gephart's Bedford road addition.

William R. Darr and Mary C. Darr to the Farmers and Merchants Bank, Keyser, W. Va.; \$900, the "Mint Spring Lot" near Rawlings, on West side of Route 220.

Irvin C. Brant and Daisy M. Brant to the Mutual Building Association, \$1850, lot 123, Cumberland Improvement Company's Southern addition.

An agreement was filed between Samuel T. Maples et ux and Lawrence A. Holsbeck regarding property at 113 Columbia street on Lots 3 and 4.

Pasture Demonstrations Are Set for May 28

An automobile tour of the pasture demonstrations in Allegany county is scheduled for May 28, County Agent R. F. McHenry announced yesterday.

Farmers who make the tour will inspect the forestry plantations, pasture demonstrations, alfalfa demonstrations, water systems, dairy barn equipment and electric fences now being tried out.

The committee in charge of the contemplated tour includes C. R. Armstrong, W. H. Johnson, Charles Harvey, Ernest Reid and Harry Miller.

Plans for the tour were made

yesterday, during the visit of J. A. Conover, dairy specialist from College Park, Albin Kuhn, assistant agronomist of the University of Maryland; and a representative from the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Odd Fellows Lodge Installs Officers

MEYERSDALE, Pa., April 9.—Eber K. Cockley, grand master, assisted by W. R. Snyder, grand warden, H. C. Mauk, grand chaplain, Melvin Lindeman, grand guard and W. C. Reckner, grand herald, installed the officers of the consolidated Salisbury-Meyersdale Lodge No. 982, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Monday night.

The new officers are Lawrence Snyder, noble grand; Donley Logue, vice-grand; M. W. Lindeman, right supporter to noble grand; Roscoe Welley, left supporter to noble grand; D. H. Broadwater, warden; Arthur Brown, conductor; George J. Sperry, right scene supporter; W. B. Wagner, outer guard; J. S. Lichty, inner guard; H. C. Mauk, chaplain; David E. Harris, right supporter to vice-grand; R. L. Hoke, left supporter to vice-grand; and F. A. Showalter, left scene supporter.

Monday evening ten candidates for membership in the lodge will receive two degrees from the lodge at Somerset.

Hospital Notes

Miss Philomena Shultz, North street, yesterday morning underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Wenzel hospital.

Mrs. Mayme Maust, Springs, and Mrs. Mary Meese, Salisbury, were admitted to the hospital Monday for treatment.

Charles A. Robertson, Broadway street, and Mahlon Reich, of near Meyersdale, are recovering satisfactorily.

Miss Miriam Swearman, Glade City, and Mrs. Emma Baker, of near Meyersdale, were discharged yesterday.

Dr. William J. Logue, North street, was admitted to Hazel McGilvery hospital yesterday for observation and treatment.

Meyersdale Personals

The Somerset County Volunteer Firemen's Association will hold its monthly meeting Thursday evening in the municipal building in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Tressler and Mrs. Nannie Tressler returned yesterday after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shumaker, Somerset.

Mrs. John Miller, Salisbury street, is reported critically ill. William Deal, of near Meyersdale, who suffered a serious fracture of his right leg several days ago, is reported recovering satisfactorily.

Three sets of twins were born to a couple in Melbourne, Australia, within six years.

Colorado has 51 mountain peaks rising above 14,000 feet.

Applications Are Being Received for Junior Social Worker

Notice of a competitive examination for the position of junior social worker was made yesterday by Harry C. Jones, state employment commissioner, Baltimore.

Closing date for applications is April 30. Mail all applications to State Employment Commissioner, 22 Light street, Baltimore.

Firemen Answer Two False Alarm Calls

All four of Cumberland's fire companies were called out yesterday to answer three calls, two of which were false alarms.

South End firemen answered a false alarm at 1:30 p. m. to Hum-bird street. At 7:45 a. m. Central and West Side firemen went to the Kenneweg Company, Baltimore

Five CSMC Posters Will Be Sent To Emmitsburg

Only the first prize winners in the Catholic Student Mission Crusade poster contest will be sent to Emmitsburg, Md., for final judging it was announced last night.

In addition to units already having posters entered, the Joan of Arc unit of Frostburg has decided to place a poster in the contest.

The posters will be judged locally Friday, April 18 and be exhibited during the day at Carroll hall.

Patricia Daugherty, of Ridgeley, has been named as the fourth delegate of Catholic Girls Central high school to the conference in Emmitsburg.

East Side firemen were summoned at 11:30 a. m. to the 1200-block Bedford street to extinguish a grass blaze

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



Dewey Edward Harvey Accepted at Naval Training Station

Dewey Edward Harvey, of 213 Cecelia street, who enlisted in the United States Navy at the local recruiting station, last week, has been accepted at the Naval Training School, Norfolk, Va., and begun the preliminary eight-weeks military training.

Upon completion of this training he will be assigned to either a Navy unit or given further courses at a Navy training school.

In Service Class Hears Dr. Kagy

Yesterday, an in-service class for all WPA Preschool Leaders of Allegany County was held at the Union street school building. Cumberland, the class was conducted by Dr. Virginia Kagy, child psychol-

T. M. Marshall Is Re-Elected Head Of Insurance Club

T. M. Marshall was re-elected president of the Boosters Club of United States Navy at the local recruiting station, last week, has been accepted at the Naval Training School, Norfolk, Va., and begun the preliminary eight-weeks military training.

Other officers named were L. R. See, vice-president; L. M. Bennett, treasurer; and A. J. Hutter, secretary.

Others present were T. A. Perdue, J. E. Honeycutt, R. D. King, E. E. Beattie, E. B. Wiseman, W. L. Wendrich, W. G. Bass, assistant superintendent, and G. L. Quintance, superintendent.

Logan and WPA State Technician.

She discussed characteristics and problems of the pre-school child, stressing the importance of moral training to the social and emotional adjustment of children of this age group.



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4 No. 2 cans 25c

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3 1-lb. pkgs. 25c

Octagon Laundry Soap 10 new bars 25c
Phila. Scrapple 2 cans 25c
Gold Medal Flour 5 lb. bag 25c
Brown Sugar 4 lbs. 25c
P & G Laundry Soap 8 bars 25c
Am. Beauty Catsup 3 14 oz. bts 25c
Pickles Dill or Sour 2 qt. jar 25c
Soap Chips 5 lb. box 25c
Tomato Paste 6 oz. cans 25c
Waldorf Tissue 6 rolls 25c
Grape Fruit Juice 4 oz. cans 25c

Everyday Carnation MILK
4 tall cans 25c

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2 quart bottles 25c
2 glasses FREE

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8 rolls 25c

Vit-O-Veg. Chicken Noodle SOUP
3 pkgs. 25c

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5 cakes 25c

All American Tenderized Shankless HAMS
25c lb.

Salt Lake Herring
3 lbs. 25c

All Pork Sausage
2 lbs. 25c

Bacon Squares 2 lbs. 25c
Sliced Bacon 3 1/2 lb. pkgs. 25c
Spare Ribs 2 lbs. 25c
Veal Stew 2 lbs. 25c
City Chickens 6 for 25c
Minced Ham 2 lbs. 25c
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Rheumatic Fever Is among Diseases Demanding Public Care, Doctor Says

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D., by general public health measures in discussing yesterday the changing conditions which changes in the general incidence of disease have imposed on medical practice. I mentioned some of the conditions which we find can be taken care of better

tory rheumatism. This disease does far more damage than infantile paralysis and ten other diseases that such a fuss is made over. Its danger lies in the fact that it affects the joints, but that it affects the heart. Probably three-quarters of the heart cripples under 40 years are that way because they are victims of acute rheumatism.

Crippled Hearts

The disease is insidious in its progress. A child may be stricken with fever and pain in the joints. Treatment of the immediate symptoms is simple and satisfactory. The use of some form of the salicylates usually relieves the acute condition within a week. To all apparent purposes and even on careful examination, the child seems to be perfectly well; pain, swelling and redness are gone from the joints, and no signs are in the heart, but in the majority of cases, the damage has been done and as the years go by, it becomes evident that there was some residual trouble left in the heart, which finally causes crippling disability.

If all patients with acute rheumatic fever were made to rest for a long period, much of this heart trouble could be prevented. Such a period of rest is easy to arrange for in a household where there is somebody who can take care of the child, keep it in bed and amuse it, and where nourishing food is plentiful. Ideally, a child with one attack of acute rheumatic fever should be removed to a warm climate for an indefinite period in order to prevent recurrent attacks.

All this means that the underprivileged child has to take his chances and that is why rheumatic fever is a community health problem.

Hits Undernourished

It now is increasingly apparent that rheumatic fever is widespread among undernourished children crowded together in unhealthful environment, and that provision for their care under these circumstances is altogether inadequate.

I have before me the report of a sanitarium near Boston, which has been made available for the care of children with rheumatic fever. The sanitarium has had several

years' experience and its conclusions are worth noting. The children are kept outdoors, exposed to plenty of air and sunshine and even in the unfavorable environment of Boston, they respond well. Most of them have had one attack of rheumatic fever, and the idea is to give them continuous rest so as to cut down the chances of heart damage and to harden them by open air and sunshine so as to prevent a recurrence of infections, especially the recurrence of an attack of rheumatism.

England, before the war, took the lead in accepting community responsibility for the care of rheumatic fever. In London, it was recognized some years ago that the problem was too urgent and too extensive to be dealt with entirely by private or charitable organizations. The Ministry of Health, therefore, took active steps in the matter, the result being the provision of over 1,000 beds for children in the London area.

Questions and Answers

E. R. M.—"What causes the network of small red veins to appear on the sides of the nose? Is there any remedy for them?"

Answer—Dr. William Osler wrote extensively on this subject. It was a mystery to him why the veins appear, and it still remains a mystery. They apparently do not indicate any organic disease. Their removal is merely a matter of relief to the aesthetic sense. The X-ray man and plastic surgeon can relieve them quite easily.

Notice of Registration of Public School Pupils

The Spring Registration of beginning pupils who will enter school in September will be held in the several school districts at the schools throughout Allegany County on Thursday, April 17, and Friday, April 18, from 3:30 to 5:00 P. M. Only children whose sixth birthday falls on or before January 1, 1942 are eligible for the September enrollment.

Because of the pre-school medical examination that will be given by the Allegany County Health Department, it is highly important that every prospective child be registered.

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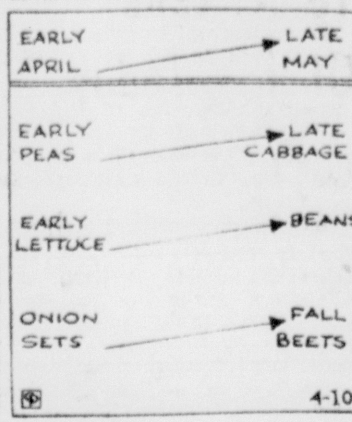
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Today's GARDEN-GRAPH

By DEAN HALLIDAY
(Distributed by Central Press Association)

CROP SUCCESSION

"Succession cropping" is the growing of two or more crops in sequence on the same area of land in just one year. In other words, it means planting a late-maturing crop where an earlier crop has already matured.



As illustrated in the Garden-Graph, early peas are followed by late cabbage. They might also be followed by cauliflower, beans or tomatoes, with liberal fertilization.

often a third crop can follow such as lettuce or spinach. Early lettuce followed with beans could have a third crop, perhaps fall beets. Onion sets followed with fall beets might later be followed with radishes.

Succession cropping is another form of crop rotation which is a means of helping to control plant diseases.

Maryland Regiment Uses Movies To Learn Army Lessons

PORT GEORGE G. MEADE, Md., April 9 (P)—Officers of the One Hundred and Fifteenth Infantry Regiment, Maryland, now attend the movies to learn their Army lessons.

Col. D. John Markey of Frederick, commanding officer, has started a regimental school for both officers and non-commissioned officers to take the place of one of the battalion schools.

Visual education methods have been introduced to keep the One Hundred and Fifteenth in step with advanced Army techniques, and the motion picture method is explained by Col. Markey as being particularly clear in its instruction.

The first motion picture class was

held this week and the Regimental recreation hall was filled as a capacity audience observed instruction given in map readings.

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Frostburg College Plans Open House for High School Seniors

Easter Pageant To Be Presented At Cresaptown

'The Uplifted Cross' To Be Given Sunday at Methodist Church

CRESAPTOWN, April 9.—"The Uplifted Cross," an Easter pageant under the direction of Mrs. Edward Lewis and Miss Dora Lewis, will be presented Sunday night at the Methodist church at 7:45 p. m. by the combined Epworth League and Young Adult Fellowship Group.

The cast will include Dorothy McDonald, Edna Lafferty, Mrs. Servatius Roby, Vivian Kamauf, Helen Lewis, Dorcas Lewis, Clyde Sindy, Esther Smith, Emma Stagg, Luedell Sherman, Alice Lewis, Betty McCusker, Marilyn Grant, Olive Shaffer, Betty Jo Todd, Margaret Shaffer, Edith Lewis, Betty Lewis, Judith Ann Johnson, Elmer Uphold, Charles Lewis and Shirley Lewis.

Special music will be furnished by the adult choir. A baptismal service will precede the pageant. A sunrise service will be conducted Sunday at 8 a. m. Special music will be presented by the Junior choir under the direction of Jacob Richardson. The Junior choir will be observing its third anniversary.

Holy Communion will be held tomorrow (Thursday) at 7:30 p. m.

Cresaptown Briefs

The Rev. M. L. Lowe, professor of Old and New Testament interpretation at the Practical Bible Training school, Binghamton, N. Y., is conducting the second Bible conference of the year at the Calvary Tabernacle. The services will continue nightly through Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Clingerman entertained at a birthday party at their home in honor of the latter's sister Ruth, on her twentieth birthday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Borror and daughter Helen; Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Saver, Delmer Mongold, Mrs. Clement Myers, Dora Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hedrick, Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Sherman, Mrs. Evelyn Hess and son, Eugene; Mrs. George Bluebaugh and daughter, Connie; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cline, Bessie Johnson and Mrs. L. Johnson.

The Willing Workers Sunday school class held its monthly business meeting Monday night at the home of Helene Knippenberg. Ten members were present. Edith Lewis presided.

The Adult League met Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sindy. Mrs. Edgar Houshelt presided. Eleven were present. Plans for the Rawlins charge young peoples banquet, which will be held April 29, were discussed. The Rev. W. W. Patterson, a former minister at Cresaptown and organizer of the Rawlins Charge Association, will be guest speaker at the banquet.

The Epworth League held its monthly business meeting Saturday night at the home of Lester and Luedell Sherman. Programs were planned for the month of April and May. April 13, Luedell Sherman will speak on "Devotions"; April 20, Esther Smith on "Missions"; April 27 a Bible quiz will be conducted on the Book of Acts by Marilyn Grant and Vera Denstock; May 4, James Glover will speak on "Social Service"; and May 11, Dora Lewis on "Recreation."

Cresaptown Personals

Mrs. Bertie Leydie, Ellerslie, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. William Corley.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones and children spent Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. E. Courrier, Keyser.

Mrs. S. L. Hedrick is confined to her bed again after improving for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Keyser, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Borror.

Mrs. Clement Myers spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. John Bowen, Slanesville.

Mildred Wagner spent Sunday at her home in Springfield, W. Va. Madeline Klosterman, Red Hill, spent Tuesday with Edna Blanche Houshelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Yantz, Lonaconing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams.

H. D. Hosier, Petersburg, spent the week-end at home with his family.

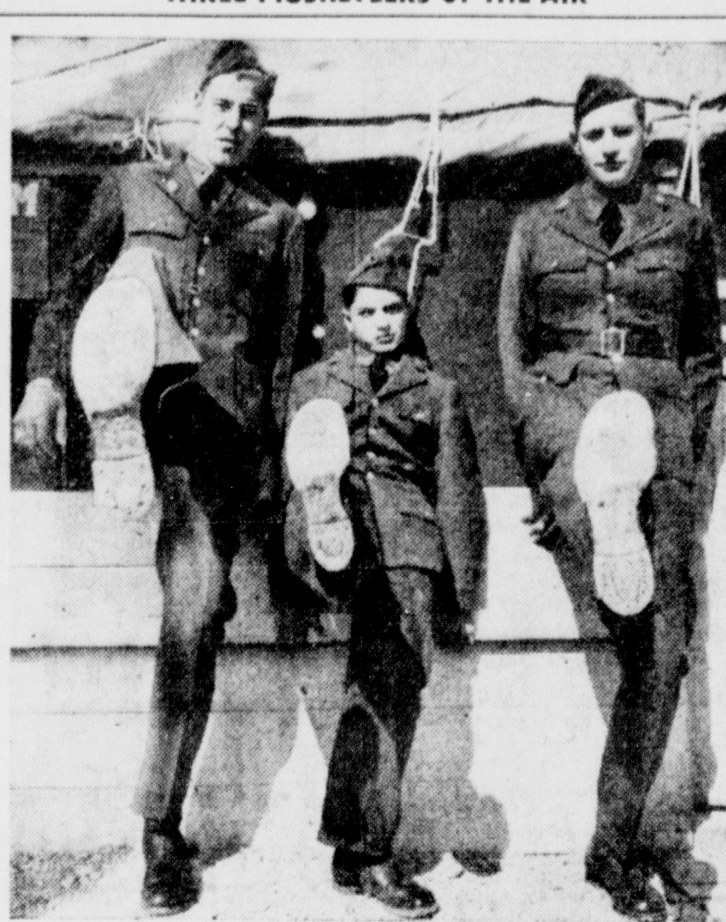
Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson and son, Roger, spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. Pratt, Williams road.

Mrs. Katherine Breedlove and children spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Leasure, Cumberland.

G. C. Yohn, Davis, W. Va., is spending several days at home with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hivick and son, Merrill, spent the week-end at Keyser with Mrs. Hivick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Mick.

THREE MUSKETEERS OF THE AIR



Here are the tallest, the smallest and the next to the tallest of the boys at the United States Army Air Corps, Kelly Field, Tex. Left, James B. Cook, known as "Pee Wee," who is six feet seven inches tall and wears a size 14-C shoe. Center is Corporal E. M. Sonnen, who is five feet one inch tall, and right, is James J. Johnson, six feet six inches tall.

Mines of Southern West Virginia Face Suspension, Operators Say

Elimination of North-South Differential Held Out of Question

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 9.—Jesse V. Sullivan declared today that elimination of the North-South wage differential would mean suspensions of Southern West Virginia mines and charged there was a conspiracy to exclude Southern coal from consuming markets.

"It is not a matter of choice of the Southern operators to keep the coal mines inactive," the secretary of the West Virginia Coal Association said in a statement. "These mines cannot be operated on the scale that proposes to eliminate the labor differential."

Northern operators in the eight-state Appalachian soft coal area have accepted the United Mine Workers of America demand to dispense with a 40-cent difference between wages paid in the two sections, but Southern operators have refused to agree.

The present Southern wage is \$5.60 per day and the Northern, \$6.00. The requested increase was to a flat \$7 per day.

"For many years the coal operators of Southern West Virginia have contended, and proved in court that a conspiracy existed on the part of Northern coal operators and the mine union to exclude coal mined in the Southern districts from the consuming markets," Sullivan said. "The conspiracy of 1898 has been the subject of volumes of testimony in court litigation."

"The existence of this conspiracy kept the Southern mines non-union until recent years, but now after eight years of collective bargaining with the miners x x x, the old conspiracy reappears in the wage negotiations in New York and is about to be consummated with the approval of the Northern operators, John L. Lewis and the government conciliator."

"The effect of the labor differential will be widespread. It is not confined alone to Southern West Virginia, but the producing districts of Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee and Alabama are affected."

"The blow will be felt with greater injury in West Virginia, however, because it is the basic industry of this state, upon which the tax structure and even governmental operation is dependent."

Clarksburg Wholesalers' Company Strike

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 9.—Settlement of a labor dispute between the Clarksburg Wholesale Company and the Chauffeurs, Teamsters, Stabmen and Helpers union (AFL) was announced today by Labor Commissioner Charles J. E. Statler.

It marked successful completion of the first mediation efforts by the State Labor department. Inspector John Causain notified Statler that a "satisfactory agreement" had ended the week-old strike after a conference extending into the early morning.

The department is authorized to assist in labor disputes only when invited by both sides. Statler said that "we hope that other employers and employees will avail themselves of the service of this department in case of any labor dispute."

"We would much prefer to be invited in on the negotiations prior to the stoppage of any work at all,"

OFF TO JOIN ENVOY



Mrs. John G. Winant

Mrs. John G. Winant waves goodbye before boarding a clipper plane at New York for Lisbon. Mrs. Winant is enroute to London to join her husband, the United States ambassador to Britain.

Good Friday Rites Planned at Coney

Three-Hour Service To Be Given at Noon at Presbyterian Church

LONACONING, April 9.—The thirteenth annual three-hour Good Friday service at the Presbyterian church will begin at noon Friday. Guest ministers will assist the Rev. Selden C. Adams, pastor, who instituted the service in 1929.

The service will be preceded Thursday night by the Sacrament of the Lord's supper and reception of new members.

The seven last words from the cross will be the theme of the service. Participating ministers will include John E. Grim, a ministerial student of the Brethren church of Frostburg; the Rev. Dr. Leighton B. Hensley, pastor of the Southern Presbyterian church, Cumberland; the Rev. Irvin P. Kracke, pastor of the Evangelical Reformed church, Frostburg; the Rev. Harold Probst, pastor of the Pentecostal Holiness church here; the Rev. Louis P. Hanson, pastor of the Lonaconing Methodist church, and the Rev. William David Reese, pastor of the Welsh Baptist church, Frostburg.

A large delegation of members of Parsons Lodge No. 200, Knights of Pythias, attended the sixth district Pythian convention held in Elkins yesterday evening. Members of the Parsons lodge attending were William F. Repair, Ed Arnold, Harold Robert, Bert W. Post, Fred Long, Robert Deem, Earl Hinkle, Oose Bible, Alfred Pritt, Earl Simmons, Dale Rightmire and Carlton Bennett.

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Lonaconing Briefs

The Lonaconing community library will close Good Friday, and remain closed until Monday, April 14.

Mrs. Harry Probst died April 4, it was learned here today. A former resident of Lonaconing, she died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. W. C. Meyers Jr., Cockeysville, Pa. She was the former Anna I. Dutton.

Lonaconing Personals

Dr. George D. Campbell, East Main street, is in New York attending a meeting of coal operators. He operates a mine in the Barton section.

Miss Lenore McDonough has returned from Allegheny hospital, Cumberland.

Mrs. Annie Clark and Mr. and

Parsons School To Be Scene Of Show Today

Two Performances of 'Amateurs with Professional Air' Slated

PARSONS, W. Va., April 9.—The second annual Parsons high school talent show will be held tomorrow (Thursday) in the high school Auditorium, with two performances, one for students at 10:15 a. m. and another for the public at 8 p. m. The show is entitled "Amateurs with Professional Air" and will present the outstanding talent of the student body featuring Wallace Simmons as master of ceremonies.

The show is under the direction of Miss Mary Alice Frum and Karl Wilson and will feature songs and costumes of other lands, native American songs, instrumental and vocal solos and folk dances. The cast will include Glenda Hebb, Joan Orr, Jean Landry, Wanda Stemple, Richard Riley, Betty Pat Wilson, Patty Jean Parsons, Denver Strawderman, Mildred Bowley, Betty Griffith, Madonna Riley, Kathryn Swearingen, Bette Gattelle, Dorothy Young, Dorna and Donna Carr, Elwood Blizard, Charles Griffith, Charles Hanline, Harold Repair, Harry Lynn Long, Fred Pelton, Jack Sturms, Tom Shaffer, Ernest Moon, Carl Pennington, Earl Pennington, Harold Simmons, Virginia Morris, Dorothy Rowland, Eloise Booth, Arlene Loughry, Doris Lee Harper, Velma Bennett, Mary Shumaker, Marjorie Long and Ruth Morris, as well as members of the high school band.

Group numbers and instrumental solos by the band will be under the direction of the instructor, Karl Wilson.

Marriage Announced

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Sue McCulley and Edgar Forrest Armentrout, both of Parsons, which was solemnized Saturday, April 5, at 7:30 o'clock, at the Presbyterian parsonage in Elkins. The Rev. J. McD. Lacy, pastor of the church officiated.

The bride chose for the ceremony a street length suit of gray, with blue accessories. A shoulder corsage of sweet peas completed her costume. Mr. and Mrs. Russ R. Lloyd, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, were the attendants.

Mrs. Armentrout is a daughter of Mrs. Eva McCulley and the late Clyde M. McCulley. She was graduated from Sylvia, N. C., high school and attended the North Carolina College for Women at Greensboro, and Western Carolina Teachers college, at Cullowhee, N. C. For the last four years she has been teaching in Tucker county schools and making additional work toward her master of arts degree at Davis and Elkins college. She will receive her master of arts degree in June.

The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Armentrout, Blackman Flats, near Parsons. He is a graduate of Parsons high school and is now employed as state road supervisor for Tucker county.

Mr. and Mrs. Armentrout will make their home in a new residence in Parsons.

Parsons Briefs

Word has been received here that presidential approval has been given to the WPA supplementary project for the Davis high school gymnasium. Approval of the project has been sent to the state office so that work may proceed on the project. The gymnasium has been under construction for some months and is almost complete. Work has been halted for the past few weeks.

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SMILES AT DEATH



Thomas Conroy

Thomas Conroy, 39, seems unconcerned by what lies ahead. He is pictured as he boarded a train in New York city for Sing Sing Prison, where he is to die in the electric chair for the murder of Genevieve Connolly, 10.

Water Company Agrees To Fix Midland Plugs

Four Fire Hydrants To Be Repaired, Town Council Is Told

MIDLAND, April 9.—Fire plugs in Midland held the spotlight at the meeting of the mayor and council Monday evening. Benjamin H. Evans Jr., president of the Midland-Elk Lick Water Company was present and discussed the matter thoroughly with the city fathers and officials of the Midland Fire Company.

Evans and officials of the fire company had conducted an inspection of all plugs last week and agreed that four plugs needed immediate repairs. These plugs are located on Paradise street at James Blair's residence; Railroad street at Alfred Davis's residence; Main street at Thomas Taylor's residence; and the plug on Big Lane which started the recent controversy. It was found that the connections on this particular plug were not suitable for the attachments of the fire company. All other plugs were found in good condition.

Mr. Evans stated that all the defective plugs could be repaired in two days and promised to have this work done after Mayor Ash had promised to pay the water rent owed the company as soon as possible. Mayor Ash pointed out that since 1926, when Evans obtained the water company, the town has been liable for \$4,500. At present, the town owes the company \$575, while the company owes the town \$100 in taxes, making the total debt \$475.

In Mayor Ash's opinion, his administration has done very well in reducing this debt from approximately \$800, when he was elected to office two years ago, to the present indebtedness, as well as paying current water expenses.

Mr. Evans also stated that he would close the water gate at Gilmore so that the water pressure here would be greater at all times.

A delegation consisting of Mrs. Richard Elliott, Mrs. Edward Smith and Mrs. James Graham, asked the mayor and council for a cash donation in order to reopen and maintain the public library. The library was originally an NYA project, but this work has been taken out of the NYA program throughout the state, and the WPA will supply Midland with a librarian if the library reopens. Dr. R. M. Shelton Jr., is donating the room each month, and the committee feels that if it can obtain some funds with which to mend books and buy new books the library will reopen very shortly.

Easter Dance

The Midland Fire Company will sponsor an Easter Monday dance at Firemen's hall April 14. Music will be furnished by Richard King and his orchestra of Latrobe, Pa. Dancing will be from 8:30 p. m. to 12:30 a. m.

Sharp Curtailment in Maple Sugar Production Forecast in Garrett

Quality Good but Quantity Small because of Weather Conditions

GRANTSVILLE, April 9.—The delightful spring weather which has prevailed in this section during the past week is rapidly making short work of the maple sugar season. If present weather conditions continue for the remainder of the week, the season will be practically over, unless another freeze comes along soon.

Usually the producers tap their sugar trees twice during a season and some as many as three times. While the season this year and last opened up at about the same time, last year's conditions were such that producers were able to gather the sugar water as late as April 25, and a fair crop was reported. Some of the larger producers report only a good half crop has been made so far this year. The syrup made, however, is of exceptionally good quality and color, they said.

Owners of the larger groves said if present conditions continued they would not re-tap their trees this year unless the temperature dropped to at least twenty or twenty-five degrees. Syrup made so late in the season, when the trees are coming into bud, has a sappy flavor and is quite dark in color.

G. D. Miller Rites

Funeral rites for the Rev. Gideon D. Miller were conducted this afternoon at the Springs Mennonite church by the Rev. S. A. Sheller, Johnstown, Pa., assisted by the Rev. Roy Otto Springs, and the Rev. Roy L. Kinsinger, Grantsville.

Palbearers, all of the ministerial body, were Hessler Tressler, Newton Weber, Isaac Peltzer and Chester Helmick, Springs; Robert Dayton, Pinto; and a Mennonite minister from Johnstown, Pa.

The Rev. Mr. Miller died at his home at Springs Sunday after a long illness. He had served as a pastor of the Mennonite church for many years. He was also an inventor of note, having invented a number of mechanical devices now widely in use. Mr. Miller established the Miller Machine Works at Springs some years ago and relinquished its management to his sons only after his failing health prevented such activities. He was 78.

Grantsville Briefs

At the meeting of the Grantsville branch of the county Sportsmen's Association held here last night, Harry C. Edwards was elected to the county advisory council to represent Grantsville. Mr. Edwards was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Stewart Rodamer. It was also decided to change the date for the monthly meeting from the second Tuesday to the last Tuesday of each month, beginning with the month of May. The matter of appointing an executive committee of the Grantsville unit was tabled until the next session.

Grantsville firemen will sponsor a dance at the Meshack Browning club, near here, Saturday night. Ralph Bender's orchestra will furnish the music. The firemen have recently purchased some new and much needed equipment, and the proceeds from this dance will be used to help defray some of the indebtedness incurred.

Easter holidays at the Grantsville school will begin at noon tomorrow (Thursday). Classes will meet again Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Arthur Resh, who underwent an operation at Memorial hospital, Cumberland, is improving satisfactorily.

Mrs. Phyllis Gibson has returned to Washington, D. C., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morgan, Jennings.

The Rev. Samuel D. Sigler, pastor of the Lutheran church, will be the guest speaker at special services to be held at St. John's Evangelical church tomorrow (Thursday) night.

Special services will be held tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 7:45 o'clock at the Maple Grove Church of the Brethren.

Corriganville Group Has Birthday Party

CORRIGANVILLE, April 9.—The Gideon Sunday school class of the Methodist church held a surprise birthday party last night for three of its members.

The honor guests were Miss Marcella Murray, Joseph Garlitz and Miss Maxine Flegle.

The party was in honor of Miss Marcella Murray, Joseph Garlitz and Miss Maxine Flegle. Miss Flegle was unable to attend on account of illness, however.

Other guests included the Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Kemp, Ellerslie; Mrs. Wesley Kline, Mary Joe, Billy and Lloyd Kline, Mrs. Frank Garlitz, Mary Ann Murray, Phyllis Marybell Leister, Lena Shaffer, Orville Kendall, Jr., Milton Cochran and Marie Crabtree, all of Corriganville; Martha Arnold, Arbutus Paelex, Lloyd Valentine and Ike Lewis, of Cumberland

Maple Sugar Season In Somerset Nears Close

MEYERSDALE, Pa., April 9.—Because of weather conditions, the maple sugar and syrup season in Somerset county is about finished. The quality of the product, however, is said to be fine, notwithstanding the matter of quantity, which is said to have averaged approximately less than fifty percent of a normal season.

Very excellent quality of syrup is being placed on the market at an average price of \$1.95 per gallon, which is somewhat higher than for some past seasons. Only a small amount of crumb and cake sugar was manufactured, the great bulk of the "run" having been converted into syrup.

Episcopal Church Plans Three-Hour Service Tomorrow

Good Friday Rites Will Begin at Noon at Westernport Church

WESTERNPORT, April 9.—A three-hour service will be held at St. James' Episcopal church, Westernport, Good Friday from 12 noon until 3 o'clock.

The service, commemorating the three hours agony of Christ on the cross, will be in charge of the rector, the Rev. R. J. Harkins, assisted by the Rev. George C. Cleveland of Emmanuel church, Keyser, W. Va., and St. Stephen's church, Romney, W. Va., the Rev. Foster M. Rittinger, the Rev. Cecil Carter, the Rev. James L. Robertson, the Rev. E. B. Coplinger and the Rev. R. L. Vining.

Civic Club Elects

Mrs. Lewis Engle Jr. was elected president of the Westernport and Luke Civic club last night at its April meeting. Other officers elected were Mrs. John Clough, first vice-president; Mrs. R. C. Roberts, second vice-president; Mrs. Aileen Farmer, third vice-president; Miss Frances Calvert, secretary; Mrs. Harry Smith, assistant secretary; Mrs. John Fisher, treasurer; Mrs. Paul McCoy, director; Mrs. W. B. Smith, Mrs. Frank Jameson and Mrs. John Miller, trustees.

Mrs. McCoy gave a report on the first district convention held in Frederick April 4. Mrs. Burton Housley, chairman of the program committee, presented an "Information Please Broadcast." Mrs. Harry Richardson reviewed Kenneth Roberts' book "Oliver Twist," and Misses Maxine Robertson and Margaret Ann Fazenbaker gave piano solos.

Mrs. Sadie Bowman, Mrs. Lucille Krantz, Mrs. Harry Ball, Miss Virginia Spangler, Miss Nellie Dowling and Miss Mary Hanna, comprising the hostess committee, served refreshments.

Tri-Towns Personals

David O. Taxis, a member of the Bruce high school faculty, will leave here tomorrow to spend his Easter holidays in Philadelphia, Pa. He will not return as he expects to be inducted into the army.

Miss Anna Abramson, a student at West Virginia university, will arrive home this evening to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Abramson, Ashfield street, Piedmont.

Paul Daddysman, Walnut street, is confined to his home by illness. Ernest Metcalf is a patient at Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser.

Mrs. Richard Boucher, Baltimore, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Atkins, Main street.

Moorefield Moose Dance Tomorrow

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., April 9.—The George Washington hotel orchestra of Winchester, Va., will play for the birthday dance, which will be held at the American Legion hall here Friday night, celebrating the first anniversary of the founding of the local lodge, Loyal Order of Moose.

The dance is open to the public and will begin at 8 o'clock. Besides an eight-piece band, the orchestra will have an entertainer.

Europe Take Note

SUTTON, W. Va., April 9.—What meatless Europe needs is just about half a dozen sows like the one owned by Harley Gerwig, a farmer of the Chapel community. Harley's sow gave birth to twenty-one porkers the other day.

Western Maryland Students Invited To Affair in May

Movies, Supper and Dance To Feature Sub-Freshman Day May 3

FROSTBURG, April 9.—A tour of the college's campus movies, a picnic supper and a dance will be the main features of the Sub-Freshman day to be held Saturday, May 3, at Frostburg State Teachers college. Numerous committees under President John L. Dunkle are at work planning to make this the biggest event of the year at the college. Printed invitations to be placed on the bulletin boards of the various high schools in Western Maryland have been issued, and groups of college students are planning to return to their respective high schools to extend the seniors a personal invitation.

Delegates to the high schools include Betty Greeny and Edward Alby, Allegany; Beniah Walter and Emerson Ridenour, Smithsburg; Mary Alma Schade, Mary Rankin and Irene Routland, Frederick; Lucille Greenwood and Dorothy Glenn, Friendsville; Fred Manning, Hancock; George Chidester and Elvie Bowman, Beall; Hugh Coleman, Theodore Foote and Edna Elliott, Central; Shirley Gattens, Barton; Richard Pagenhardt, Sarah Jones, Bernice Michalis and Jack Jenkins, Bruce.

Julian Ryan, Kempton; Rachel Lovell and Hilda Wetnight, Brunsawick; Edward Lazer, Fred Sheeley and Frances Gower, Williamsport; Harold Green, Harry Turley and Frances Nmi, Oakland; William Housh and Ralph Swauger, Grantsville; Anil Sites, Clear Spring; Connie Davis, Jane Wishard and Josephine Reichard, Hagerstown; Marjorie Bailey, Accident; Joyce Brandenburg and Charlotte Kuhn, Middletown; Elizabeth De Witt, Kitzmiller; Martina Eby and Thelma Manahan, Thurmont; Dorothy Lindomond and Hannah Galodays, Fort Hill; and Dorothy Rollins, St. Peters.

St. Michael's Program

Holy Week services at St. Michael's Catholic church will continue tomorrow, Holy Thursday, with Holy Communion at 7 a. m. and High Mass and procession of the Most Blessed Sacrament to the Repository at 8 a. m. Holy Communion will also be given at the Mass, and the evening service will be at 7:30 o'clock.

Public adoration and watch will be held all day and night Holy Thursday.

Good Friday, the Mass of the Pre-Sanctified and Veneration of the Cross, will be held at 8 a. m. The Stations of the Cross will be at 3 p. m. and the Stations of the Cross and the devotion of the Seven Last Words of Christ at 7:30 p. m. The senior choir will sing the first, second, third and fourth words by Gnomed, and the fifth, sixth and seventh words by Dubois. The annual collection for the Holy Places in Palestine will be received at the afternoon and evening services.

Holy Saturday morning, the blessing of the Easter water, new fire, Paschal Candle and baptismal font, will begin at 7 o'clock, followed by High Mass. Confessions will be heard after noon and evening.

The Mass on Easter Sunday morning will be at the regular Sunday hours, 7, 8, 9 and 10:15 a. m. The annual offering for the students of the architecture, studying for the holy priesthood at St. Charles college, will be received at all the Masses.

Mrs. Mary Drum Bollino will direct the senior choir in a program at the High Mass Easter Sunday, "The Mass of the Shepherds," by Pietro Yon, will be sung, with the "Proper of the Mass," by Tozer. At the Sequence, "Vatican Gradual," will be sung; for the offertory, "Regina Coeli," by Melvil, and recessional, "Oh fili et filiae," traditional.

Frostburg Briefs

Mountain Chapter No. 15, Order of the Eastern Star, will sponsor a baked pork supper Wednesday, April 16, from 8 to 7 o'clock at the Masonic Temple, 76 East Main street. Mrs. John D. Close, East Main street, is chairman of the committee.

An important business meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be held at 9 p. m. in the lecture room of First Methodist church. Mrs. John G. Cook will preside.

Members of the Frostburg Rotary club have been invited to attend a dinner, Thursday, April 17, in connection with the installation of a Lions club at Salisbury, Pa.

Instrumental and vocal music for the three-hour service to be held Good Friday from noon to 3 p. m., at Salem Evangelical and Reformed church, Broadway, will be furnished as follows: Organ prelude, Mrs. Lillian Spelt Stewart, duet, "So Thine Lifting Thine Petition," Mrs. Lillian Spelt Stewart and the Rev. Walter V. Simon, duet, "Calvary," Harriet Brode and Jean (Continued on Page 14, Col. 4)

Moorefield Lions Hear Address By Former Solon

Club Makes Plans for Amateur Show To Be Presented Next Month

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., April 9.—Ralph M. Hiner, Franklin attorney and until recently head of the West Virginia Unemployment Compensation Commission, entertained the Moorefield Lions club Monday night with reminiscences of some of the highlights of the West Virginia legislature when he was a member.

Hiner told the inside story of the passage of the tax limitation bill in 1933 and other incidents involving lawmakers.

H. Gus Montague, president of the organization, reported for Dr. L. M. Harman that five pairs of glasses had been fitted for needy youngsters during the past two weeks through the co-operation of Dr. V. L. Dyer in Petersburg.

J. E. Mason, chairman of the music committee, announced that plans were going forward for the Lions club amateur show to be held early in May. All members of the club will take part in the program.

Mason also announced the purchase of a piano for the use of the club room at the McNeil hotel.

Oscar Beam, chairman of the tree planting committee, announced that 1,500 red maple trees had been ordered for planting on the streets of Moorefield.

Mrs. L. R. Grover was elected pianist for the club and entertained with a few selections. She will accompany the men's chorus.

Dr. W. H. S. White, president of Shepherd College, Shepherdstown, will be the principal speaker at the next meeting April 21, which will be ladies night.

Woman's Club Meets

Mrs. S. L. Dodd was elected president of the Moorefield Women's club Monday night. Other officers are Mrs. W. J. Teets and Mrs. R. S. Kuykendall vice-presidents; Mrs. A. B. Belsch, secretary; and Mrs. P. K. Thompson, treasurer.

Delegates were also elected to attend the thirty-seventh annual convention of the West Virginia Federated Women's Clubs in Morgantown early in May. They are Mrs. M. A. Bean, Mrs. Clyde Shannahan, Mrs. W. J. Teets, Mrs. John T. Clair and Mrs. Robert Kuykendall.

Meetings Are Held For Grant Farmers

Movies and Slides Used in Livestock Improvement Campaign

PETERSBURG, W. Va., April 9.—Ten meetings are being held in Grant county this week in connection with the annual livestock improvement campaign.

Sound motion pictures dealing with livestock production are being shown and colored slides used. John M. Pierpont, county agent of Harrison county, is assisting with the meetings.

Meetings have already been held at Laurel Dale, Martin, Mayville, Lammansville, Cabins and Ridges, and meetings will be held tomorrow and Friday at Mt. Storm, Landes and Dorcas. Large crowds have been attending the meetings.

To Address Conference

The Rev. George William Strobel has been invited to address the members of the Ohio Valley Women's Missionary Conference of the American Lutheran church at its evening session Thursday, April 17, at Ambler, Pa. This group includes missionary groups of churches in West Virginia, Pennsylvania and parts of Ohio.

Petersburg Personals

John Trenton, who is attending Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia, is spending the Easter vacation with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Kump resided.

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Commodity Distribution Office at Martinsburg Expands; Requests Mount

CHARLESTON, W. Va., April 9.—A larger commodity distribution office has been opened in Martinsburg partly because of the large number of requests from idle interwoven stocking company employees, Director Raymond Kenny of the Public Assistance department said today.

Kenny said the new quarters, however, were not opened primarily to care for striking workers at the plant where a strike was called March 21. Approximately 1,500 persons ordinarily are employed at the mill.

Insufficient space had resulted in plans for enlargement of the commodity distribution quarters, but when applications increased county officials immediately opened another office, Kenny added.

He explained that free commodities like other forms of relief will be distributed on the basis of need. Urgent pleas for food will be filled at once pending investigation but if need is not established, distribution will be stopped.

turned to Romney after visiting Mr. Kump's sister, Mrs. E. V. Miller.

Miss Margaret Weese and Lewis Mooman, students at Potomac State college, Keyser, will arrive today to spend the Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weese and Mrs. W. C. Mooman.

Miss Daisy Crites, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Crites and Mrs. Ray Whitlock spent yesterday in Cumberland.

Mrs. Georgia Detlinburn, a daughter, Martin, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Judy.

Thurston Cassidy, Frederick Roby and Roy Harman and Paul Trenton, who are attending West Virginia university, Morgantown, will arrive today to spend the Easter vacation here with their parents, Mrs. Kathleen Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Roby, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harman and Mrs. W. D. Trenton.

Miss E. D. Quick and daughter, Ann Miller, Elkins, are visiting Mrs. Quick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bell.

Judge Robert McV. Drane, Piedmont, will arrive tomorrow to hold a special term of circuit court here.

Henry Ayers, Rough Run, has returned from the hospital at Harrisonburg, Va.

Miss Daisy McMenar, who spent several days here, has returned to Williamsport.

Warren Bloom, Mt. Storm, is a patient at Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser.

Mrs. Deil Berry, Akron, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. O. S. Kimble, Scherr.

St. Patrick's Church To Mark Good Friday

MT. SAVAGE, April 9.—The Mass of the Presanctified will be said Friday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Patrick's Catholic church. This mass is so called because there has been no consecration, as the Sacred Host which is used has been consecrated on Holy Thursday.

Good Friday is the only day in which Catholic church congregations may not receive Holy Communion. The officiating clergy will wear black vestments; the organ will not be played and the bells will not be rung.

After the Mass of the Presanctified, the crucifix, which has been veiled in purple since the beginning of Passion time will be uncovered and exposed for veneration.

Stations of the Cross will be said Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mt. Savage Personals

Joseph Barrett returned to Washington yesterday after visiting his brother and sister, James and Emeline Barrett.

Patrick Monahan, Frostburg, remains critically ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Malloy.

One-Day Holiday

Mineral county schools will close for the Easter holidays Friday. Classes will resume Monday, April 15.

Johnston-Haines

Miss Jean Haines, daughter of Mrs. Margaret Haines, and Peter John Johnston, grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnston, both of Keyser, were married tonight in Cumberland.

Both are graduates of Keyser high school and attended Potomac State school here.

Mr. Johnston is employed at the A. & P. supermarket here, and Mrs. Johnston is an employee of Kiehl's Walgreen drug store. They will live on Water street here.

Keyser Personals

Mrs. Fred Ashenfeller is confined to her home on Moxelle street here with a sprained ankle, suffered when she fell on the street yesterday in Cumberland.

D. Peters, post-graduate student.

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Honeymoon Gold

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CHAPTER TEN

IT WAS LATE afternoon when they found the wrecked car. A battered little flivver, turned over on its side, its wheels still spinning helplessly. The accident couldn't have happened more than scant seconds before. A girl lay face down, a few feet from the car; a man was pinned beneath the wheel.

Brooks and Natalie ran to them. The girl was still alive and tried dazedly to sit up as Natalie knelt beside her; but for a long moment when Natalie and Brooks had managed to get the man from behind the wheel of the wrecked car, they felt quite sure that he was dead.

Brooks' flask came into play, a little of the stinging liquid was forced down the boy's throat. He moaned and turned his head away.

The girl huddled on the ground beside him, unable herself to walk, but forgetting her own pain in her frantic anxiety for the boy. Other cars had come along now and Natalie and Brooks saw the boy's limp body laid gently on the back seat of a sedan, the girl lifted in to huddle beside him, trying to ease with her own tortured body the agonizing jolting that he must receive on the way to the hospital in the nearest town.

"We've got to go along, Brooks. I've got to know how badly they are hurt," said Natalie, looking down at the pitiful little wrecked car, the two other suitcases, one of them tied with string, that was all the baggage the car held.

"Of course," said Brooks, as he put those two suitcases in the rumble of the handsome roadster where his hand and his expensive hand-made luggage seemed to stare in haughty disdain.

When they reached the hospital, the boy was on the operating table. The girl waited outside the door, refusing any attention for herself until she could know what was being done for the boy.

Natalie went swiftly to her and put an arm about her, saying gently, "You must come and let them see how badly you're hurt!"

The girl put a shaking hand to her tumbled dark curls and said unsteadily, "No, no—I'm all right. He's hurt so much worse. I'll be all right."

She looked swiftly about the hospital corridor, the nurses moving on silent feet, the baskets of flowers that could be glimpsed through open doors, and her face was paper-white as she whispered, "This must be terribly expensive—and Johnny and I haven't got but twenty dollars."

"Oh, didn't you know?" Natalie said in swift, consoling tones. "You and Johnny are emergency cases. Hospitals never make charges for emergency cases! There won't be any charge at all."

A look of such abject relief touched the girl's white face that Natalie set her teeth hard against the little gasp of pity. To be terribly ill, to see someone you love desperately hurt, and not be able to pay for the needed medical attention—what a ghastly thing, Natalie told herself, appalled that such things could be.

"Are you—are you—sure?" whispered the girl faintly, looking up at Brooks for added reassurance.

"Certainly sure," answered Brooks with a heartening grin. "Why don't you two go along and let somebody find out how much damage you suffered? I'll stick here and bring you the first news."

At West Virginia university, Morgantown, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Peters, during the Easter recess.

Western

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Ritter, solo, "I Bind My Heart This Tide." Walter Lee Plummer, solo, "The Majesty of Thine Divine Humiliation." George Truly, solo, "Aloft, Mrs. Samuel B. McCullough, duet, There is a Green Hill Far Away." Mrs. Carl Storm and Mrs. Harry Ott, organ postlude.

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about Johnny that anybody gives out." "Could I go right here—across the hall?" pleaded the girl.

"Of course you can," answered Brooks firmly, and turned to a passing nurse. "How about having somebody take a look at this young lady? She's the other half of that wreck, you know."

"Certainly," said the nurse. "This way, my dear."

"I'll see the doctor," said Natalie with a quick little smile to the girl going reluctantly away with the nurse.

When the door had closed behind the girl, Natalie turned to Brooks. "How do I arrange about their bill?"—seemingly to it that they're not frightened or worried?" she demanded.

"At the office," said Brooks, and tucked his hand beneath her elbow. "Come along."

They went swiftly along the corridor to an office where an efficient-looking middle-aged woman behind a flat-topped desk gave them a curious, interested look to add to her professional smile.

"I'm Natalie Schuyler," Natalie said. "The couple brought in a few moments ago—he's in the emergency operating room, and the nurse is getting HER ready for an examination—I just wanted to tell you that they are to have the very best of everything, and you're to send the bill to me."

"Thank you, Miss Schuyler," said the nurse. For just a moment her eyes turned to Brooks, who stood back of Natalie and whose face now was suddenly strained, a little white line about his mouth. "That's very generous of you. Of course we've no idea just yet what will be necessary."

"It doesn't matter. They're to have it, whatever it is, and the very best," said Natalie in the tone of one accustomed to giving orders and having them obeyed. "And they are not to know that I'm paying the bill. They must think that it is due to the fact that they are emergency cases and that due provision is made for that sort of thing."

"I understand, Miss Schuyler," began the nurse.

Brooks said, with a queer, harsh tone in his voice, "The lady happens to be Mrs. Marchbanks, even though it's a matter so trifling she's forgotten it."

Natalie turned sharply, startled by his tone. The look in his eyes told her that he was hurt and angry, out of all proportion, she felt, to the cause.

"Darling, I'm sorry—" she stammered.

"It's quite all right," said Brooks harshly. "It's only that the hospital will want the LEGAL name of the person who is playing Lady Bountiful."

Natalie caught her breath, for there was a not too carefully hidden taunt in the last that was like a small, but stinging, blow. Before she could manage an answer, Brooks said politely, "And now, hadn't you better be getting back to your post? Your—er—guest will be worrying about you."

Natalie couldn't explain, apologize—not there in front of that curious, avid-eyed nurse. And as she walked beside Brooks along the corridor, Natalie's heart quivered a little; she HAD hurt and humiliated Brooks. Quite unnecessarily. She could just as easily have said to the nurse, "We will be responsible for the bill," and thus have included Brooks. She should have said, "I'm Mrs. Brooks Marchbanks." But the habit of years had been so strong—she'd been Natalie Schuyler for 22 years, and she'd only been Mrs. Brooks Marchbanks for 24 hours! Surely Brooks would understand that she had spoken impulsively, that she hadn't deliberately meant to humiliate him, to flout her own wealth.

But there was no chance to explain. A doctor was coming toward them, straight from the emergency operating room. And he had news.

"The young man is very badly hurt," he explained with merciful brevity. "There is a brain concussion, serious internal injuries. Unfortunately for his recuperative powers, he is undernourished, badly run down. I'd say that he has a slightly better than fifty-fifty chance of pulling through, given every possible advantage."

"He is to have that, Doctor," said Natalie instantly. "That is, my husband and I wish to be responsible for all expenses. You are to go the limit—whatever he needs or you think will help him in the slightest."

The doctor looked from one to the other of these handsome, expensively clad young people, and he said politely, "They are friends of yours—perhaps servants?"

"We never saw them in our lives until we came upon their wrecked car a couple of hours ago," said Natalie. "My husband and I are on our honeymoon, and—well, we felt it unbearable that anybody should be unhappy while we are so very happy."

"That's very generous of you, Mrs.—" "Mrs. Brooks Marchbanks," said Natalie, slipping her hand into Brooks' with a little coaxing gesture. He was too courteous to reject her plea; he simply ignored it.

(To Be Continued)

Outdoor Commencement Planned at Martinsburg

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., April 9.—Martinsburg high school will hold outdoor graduation exercises this year instead of the usual indoor affair, Principal Edwin W. Miller announced—that is, if the weather permits.

The holding of morning ceremonies at the athletic field was suggested by students. Dr. Richard Asphall, assistant to the president of West Virginia university, will speak.

Parsons School

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The women's club will meet April 18 at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Winona Dumire. The meeting was originally scheduled for April 11.

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Assistant Superintendent Of Schools Pays Visit To Frostburg College

FROSTBURG, April 9.—Miss I. Jewell Simpson, assistant state superintendent of schools, whose special field is elementary education, paid her annual visit to Frostburg State Teachers college yesterday. She is particularly interested in the development of the social studies program at the college.

Miss Simpson has issued two bulletins on social studies work in elementary school—one for primary grades, the other for intermediate grades. These bulletins are being interpreted by Professor Ivan C. Diehl and Miss Louise Shaffer to the students of the junior class. Miss Simpson visited these classes. The senior teachers in the training school were also visited by her in the morning. In the afternoon, Miss Simpson was present at the party given for the second grade of the Centre Street school, Cumberland, under the leadership of Miss Jennie Lee by Miss Margaret Jones, second grade class at the college.

Good Friday

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Mrs. John Turpack, Donora, Pa., were guests of Mrs. William Henry and Leslie Clark for the last several days.

Allan Gardner, Robbins street is home from Memorial hospital, Cumberland.

BANK STATEMENT

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE COMMERCIAL SAVINGS BANK, OF CUMBERLAND, IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 4TH, 1941.

ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$ None overdrafts)	313,077.28
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	121,505.63
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	12,784.60
Corporate stocks (including \$ None stock of Federal Reserve bank)	50,144.50
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	380,171.11
Bank premises owned \$43,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1,700.00	44,700.00
Bank premises owned are subject of \$ None liens not assumed by bank	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	61,247.07
TOTAL ASSETS	983,630.19

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	247,620.75
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	526,966.61
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	18,210.77
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	1,696.92
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$793,895.05
Other liabilities	21,776.59
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	815,671.64

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	61,849.29
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	6,109.26
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	167,958.55

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
	983,630.19

This bank's capital consists of \$ None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, total returnable value \$ None; second preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, total returnable value \$ None; and common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00.

MEMORANDA
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities

16,968.13

TOTAL 16,968.13

Secured and preferred liabilities:

(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law

15,000.00

TOTAL 15,000.00

Subordinated obligations:

(b) Other obligations not included in liabilities which are subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors

117,163.67

(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was

53,920.15

(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to

457,608.61

I, George C. Cook, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:

GEORGE C. COOK, Cashier

WILBUR V. WILSON

GEORGE J. SCHRAMM

JOS. H. REINHART Directors

State of Maryland, County of Allegany, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of April, 1941, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires May 31st, 1941.

BERTHA C. DALTON, Notary Public

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ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$ None overdrafts)	231,093.89
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	73,219.90
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	24,898.75
Corporate stocks (including \$ None stock of Federal Reserve bank)	21,238.75
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	156,072.39
Bank premises owned \$10,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$ None	10,000.00
Bank premises owned are subject to \$ None liens not assumed by bank	
Real estate owned other than bank premises	28,548.81
TOTAL ASSETS	545,072.49

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	185,498.01
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	234,823.78
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	15,000.00
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	2,537.17
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$437,858.94

TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) 437,858.94

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital 90,000.00

Surplus 5,420.00

Undivided profits 5,430.85

Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) 6,362.70

TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 107,213.55

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 545,072.49

This bank's capital consists of \$85,000.00 of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, total returnable value \$ None; second preferred stock with total par value of \$ None, total returnable value \$ None; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):

(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities

17,705.00

TOTAL 17,705.00

Secured and preferred liabilities:

(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law

15,000.00

TOTAL 15,000.00

Subordinated obligations:

(a) Unpaid dividends on preferred stock and unpaid interest on capital notes and debentures, accrued to end of last dividend or interest period, not included in liabilities or reserves above

7,962.67

(b) On date of report the legal reserve against deposits of this bank was

37,409.98

(c) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to

211,587.29

I, W. FLOYD PRICE, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:

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F. BROOKE WHITING

JAS. M. CONWAY

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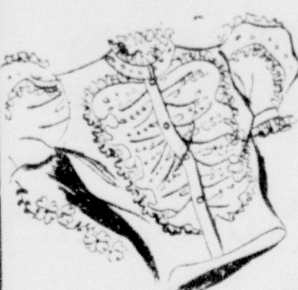
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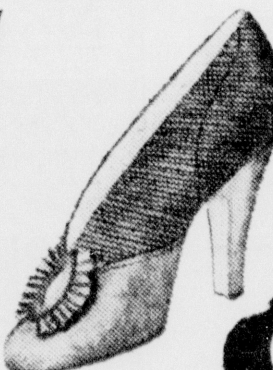
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Frostburg

F. Harry Rockwell Cites Hazards of After School Play

Motor Club Head Asks Parents and Teachers to Emphasize Dangers

An appeal to parents and teachers to emphasize to children the hazards of playing in or near traffic after school, is made by F. Harry Rockwell, president of the Western Maryland Motor Club, as a means of reducing accidents to youngsters enjoying outdoor recreation.

"Studies of child accidents show that the child most likely to be involved in a traffic accident," added the local A.A.A. club executive, "is a boy between ten and fifteen years of age playing in the middle of the block after 4 p. m. in the afternoon in the late spring or summer."

"While studies made by the American Automobile Association on a nationwide basis show conclusively that children in the five to fourteen year age-group have the best traffic fatality record of any age-group, these same studies show that this school-age group has the worst traffic injury record after school hours. With hundreds of communities reporting that no children have been killed or injured on the way to and from school, largely through the protection offered by school safety patrols, it is found, however, that traffic injury tolls rise during the spring and summer months."

Rockwell urges parents to see that children play and skate away from traffic-laden streets after school; that those who have bicycles are permitted to ride in traffic only after they have learned to guide the bicycle skillfully and that they know simple traffic rules. He also suggested that teachers in safety education make a special point of emphasizing these after-school traffic hazards.

Plans Are Made For Rural Women's Short Course

Enrollment for the 1941 Rural Women's Short Course June 16 to 21 at College Park is now being taken with the Allegheny county goal set at 115 members. Miss Maude A. Bean, home demonstration agent, said yesterday.

Plans for the course were made Tuesday night at a meeting in the Cumberland Free Public Library where women in attendance discussed the advantages of the course which attracts many Allegheny county women each summer.

Miss Bean said yesterday that some women have already enrolled for the course. Enrollment will be continued from now until June 1 with home demonstration agents in charge.

Ellerslie Pottery May Be Re-opened

A pending deal whereby the Maryland Pottery Works at Ellerslie may be re-opened was reported in Cumberland yesterday although all details of the transaction have not as yet been worked out.

According to a report, R. Green Abman, president of the Union Mining Company, has secured an option on the Ellerslie pottery works.

Publisher P. Smith and Hugh Stevenson, of Ellerslie, each own half interests in the pottery.

The pottery, which closed down two years ago, used to employ between thirty and forty men.

Gateway Chatter

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Pets: First Class Charles Swanson and Francis D. Miller scored 176 out of a possible 225 on the C course.

Things have started to brighten up around the barracks the last few weeks. The fellows who stay in camp over the weekends have built boardwalks in the area and are grading to get the ground in shape to plant grass.

Last Thursday night the buck privates were the high and mighty men of camp. There was a dance in the recreation hall just for them. The N.C.O.'s will have one in the near future. The boys have Col. Marker and Chaplain O'Grady to thank for a fine time.

All in good cheer. Fun Corp. Fogle took his solo flight the other night without an airplane. While he was asleep some of the fellows raised his cot and set it up on the two-foot jacks. The following morning when he awoke he was presented with his pilot's license. Corp. Fogle laughed. He thought it was a good joke too.

The other morning while waiting to take places on the firing line a football game was started. All of the men were surprised to find what good shape they were in. The men played almost twice the time for a regular game and were still willing to go on. The excellent food and the regular sleep have the fellows all in tip-top shape.

Company G members would like to have more visitors from home. The men would like for some of the home folks to have Sunday dinner with them and judge for themselves how good the food is.

Chatter has learned there are many interesting things in camp for the home folks to see, so take a weekend off, pay the fellows a visit and let them show you around.

MRS. JESSIE HOFFMAN FILES SUIT FOR PARTIAL DIVORCE

Mother-in-law trouble yesterday was given as the reason for the divorce proceedings launched in circuit court by a young Cumberland wife who declared things got so bad she was finally "ordered out."

The petition for a partial divorce and other considerations was docketed by Mrs. Jessie Helen Hoffman against her husband, Charles Frederick Hoffman, a railroad employee.

Mrs. Hoffman states she and her husband were married in Winchester in 1940 after which the bridegroom took the bride to the home of his mother on North Centre street. Mrs. Hoffman said she stood it until January 13 of this year when she was ordered out. She left and went to live on Goethe street.

According to the petition docketed by Mrs. Hoffman by Morris Baxon, allowing the defendant's mother consistently treated the complainant with "contempt and harshness and on many occasions gave her to understand that she was not wanted there, and in general made life unpleasant and intolerable for the complainant."

After leaving, Mrs. Hoffman said she was obliged to place herself under a doctor's care but was forced to work in spite of her ill health.

She said she approached her husband a number of times after the separation asking him to make a home for her and to take care of her. This was all to no avail, she added.

Mrs. Hoffman also stated in her suit that she advanced the sum of \$500 to her husband to buy a car. Now, he uses the car every day but won't allow her to be declared.

After summing up the grievances enumerated, Mrs. Hoffman asked the court for a partial divorce, alimony and that the \$500 be refunded to her.

Governor Reports

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tions, Dewey did disclose that joint conferences between Ford officials and union representatives will be discontinued for the time being.

The governor said yesterday that Secretary of Labor Perkins had set a time limit of "twenty-four or forty-eight hours, I'm not sure which" for settlement of the eight-day strike, before certifying it to the Defense Mediation Board.

Dewey Seems Unhappy

Dewey, who appeared tired and none too happy, declined to comment on whether an extension of the deadline had been asked.

The present conferences marked the first since Henry Ford founded his company in 1903 that his spokesmen had discussed company policies over a conference table with union officials.

Just before the late afternoon meeting ended, the governor and Harry Bennett, company personnel director, drove away in an automobile and then returned in a short time. They declined to say whether they had conferred with Henry Ford.

Illness Is Fatal To Mrs. Ida Hite

Daughter of Late Daniel and Emma Brashers Dies at Home

Mrs. Ida R. Hite, 64, wife of Edgar Hite, 421 Pennsylvania avenue, died yesterday at 5 p. m. at her home. She had been in ill health quite some time.

She was the daughter of the late Daniel T. Brashers and Emma Lyons Brashers.

Besides her husband she is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Pearl Penner, Mrs. Hazel Moreland, and Mrs. Ethel Kline, all of this city; a brother, Ira Brashers; a sister, Mrs. Clinton Hardman, both of Cumberland; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Surviving is her father, John A. Evans; and two brothers, Elmo A. of Cumberland, and Eugene, of Everett, Pa. The body will be brought to the Lempereur funeral home in Cumberland.

Miss Evans Dies

Miss Edna C. Evans, of 213 Paca street, died last night in the Baltimore City hospital. She was twenty-nine.

Surviving is her father, John A. Evans; and two brothers, Elmo A. of Cumberland, and Eugene, of Everett, Pa. The body will be brought to the Lempereur funeral home in Cumberland.

William C. Corley Dies

William Calvin Corley, 75, of Cresap Park, McMillen Highway, died last night at his home. He was a native of Somerset county, Pa., and was employed for a period of seventeen years at the Cambria Steel Works, Johnstown, many years ago.

Besides his wife, Mrs. Loretta Stouffer Corley, he is survived by a son and one daughter, Mrs. Mary Ruth Schlosser and James Paul Corley, both of Cresap Park.

He was a member of Lodge No. 191, Odd Fellows, Johnstown, and the Lutheran church at Madley, Pa.

Whalley Rites Held

Services for Mrs. Lillie Mae Whalley, 66, wife of Harry W. Whalley, 401 Springdale street, and mother of City Policeman John D. Whalley, who died Monday, were held yesterday afternoon at Grace Methodist church by the Rev. Charles M. LeFevre, pastor. Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery.

Peabody Services Held

Last rites for Mrs. Ruth Walker Peabody, 26, of 703 Maryland avenue, who died Sunday, were conducted yesterday afternoon at Haters' funeral home by the Rev. Hiram T. Beloveck, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church. Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery.

Funeral services for Benjamin Y. S. Teter, 81, of Flintstone Creek, who died Monday, were held yesterday at the Flintstone Brethren church. The Rev. Walter Twigg officiated and interment was made in the Brethren cemetery.

Funerals were Guy Turner Ulysses Morris, Frank Wilson, Charles Turner, Grover Ketterman and William Porter.

Mrs. McVicker Dies

Mrs. Eleanor Shaffer McVicker, 70, wife of Elmer E. McVicker, of Hyndman, Pa., died late Tuesday night at Allegheny hospital where she was admitted Sunday.

A native of Allegheny county, Mrs. McVicker was a daughter of the late John T. and Catherine, Bell Leasure. Her first husband was the late Charles E. Shaffer.

Mrs. McVicker spent most of her life here in the Bedford road section, where she was born. She lived in Spencerville, Ohio, for five years before going to Hyndman. She was a member of the Pentecostal church.

Surviving, besides her husband, are five sons, Oscar N. and Randall L. Shaffer, of New Kensington, Pa.; Ira Z. and Floyd E. Shaffer, of Hyndman; and Kenneth L. Shaffer, of Ellerslie; three brothers, Frederick George and Ward Leasure, all of Cumberland; one sister, Mrs. Addie Long, of Toledo, Iowa; twenty-one grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

RED CROSS WILL
TAKE DONATIONS
FOR YUGOSLAVIA

The local chapter of the American Red Cross has been authorized by Norman Davis, national chairman, to accept contributions to aid Yugoslavia for transmittal to national headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Upon receipt of word that the war had spread to Yugoslavia, the American Red Cross, on April 6, cabled the Red Cross Society of that country to ascertain if there are any special relief needs in addition to supplies already purchased for shipment.

Pending a reply regarding these needs, authorization had been given for the purchase and shipment of relief items, valued at more than \$1,000,000. This action followed a meeting with Yugoslavia's minister in Washington.

Arrangements are now being completed to purchase and ship large quantities of medical and surgical supplies. These items include ten field hospitals, 100,000 blankets, 1,500,000 quinine tablets, X-ray equipment, vaccines, ether and other medicines and hospital equipment.

Two million surgical dressings, produced by Red Cross chapter volunteers, will also be available for the initial shipment.

Easter Music Will Be Presented at Fort Hill Today

Under the direction of Miss Dorothy Seebree, the A Cappella Choir will furnish the musical settings for the special arrangements of the story of a blind beggar of Jerusalem, to be presented by the Fort Hill Choral Speaking Choir and the A Cappella Choir, at noon today in the Fort Hill auditorium.

June Miller, Violet Popp, Marian Jackson, Evangeline Engle, Nadine Sensabaugh, Juanita Hamilton, Margaret Stalter, and Maxine Pullin will relate the story of the beggar, while Emma Jean Smith, Marian Jackson, Violet Popp, Betty Jan Bollinger, Irene Turner, Dorothy Settle, Ruth Newcomb and the entire choir will read selections from the Bible.

Musical numbers will include "O Calvary" (Meredit); "Souls of the Righteous" (Noble); "God So Loved the World" (Stainer) and "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today" (Carey).

First Presbyterian Church Is Holding Holy Week Services

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock the Session of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the lecture hall to receive members into the church.

At 8 o'clock the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will follow the Session meeting and newly elected members will be publicly welcomed.

"The Crucifixion" will be sung by the adult choir Friday at 8 o'clock in the church with the pastor, the Rev. William A. Eisenberger, reading the Scriptural background of each selection.

Last night a preparatory service was held at the church at 7:30 o'clock which marked the beginning of Holy Week services at the church.

Twenty-Five Men

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ett avenue, order number 572, radio repairman.

Orchard Worker Selected

Lawrence Willard Miller, Pinto, order number 573, orchard worker. Joseph Bernard Will, Long, order number 582, Celanese worker.

Harold Baker Cain, Pinto, order number 609, Celanese worker. William Henry Vernal, 403 Avirett avenue, order number 617, machinist helper.

John Eugene Hocking, 216 Beall street, order number 634, unemployed. Elwood Victor Morrison, Long, order number 640, chauffeur.

James John Williamson, 306 Mt. View drive, order number 665, special agent for Western Maryland railroad.

Joseph Griffin McGinn, 205 Cumberland street, order number 674, drafting clerk at Celanese plant.

Adolph Hirsch, LaVale, order number 677, manager of the Cumberland Clook and Suit store.

Conciliator

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union or quit," the department store representative said.

The injection of the Federal Conciliation Service into the situation came as a surprise. It was reported last night that L. J. Smith, of the United States Conciliation department, would arrive in Cumberland the first thing this morning.

Since neither the union or the merchants had requested such intervention according to reports from representatives of "both sides," it was difficult to determine what motive prompted the government's interceding in the matter.

Strike May Spread

Union representatives said that C. E. Stutzman, A. F. of L. organizer, talked with Dr. John Colvin, of the conciliation department, by phone yesterday. During the conversation, the request was made of the union that "the strike not be allowed to gain too much impetus until the conciliator on his way to Cumberland had a chance to survey the situation," the union representative said.

Combs, speaking of the entry of the federal mediator into the picture, said that one of the duties of the service was to follow the development of all labor disputes and to lend a hand whenever it was believed it could be of service.

Asked last night if the strike would continue to spread in the event the situation remains essentially the same, Combs said that it would and added that "the board may see fit to pull more stores before the day is out."

T.W.U.A. Backs Clerks

At its regular monthly meeting last night at Textile Union hall, the membership of Local 1874, T.W.U.A., heard a request from the clerk's union asking their support

Police Seniority

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on the order in which they had signed the test book.

In the reshuffle of seniority, some of the men who were at the head of the list wound up near the bottom, others went from the bottom to the top and others remained in substantially the same position.

Local Board

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over the B. & O. at 7:10 a. m. for the induction station. After being given a final physical examination by army doctors the men, who are accepted, will be sent to the reception center at Fort George G. Meade.

Mrs. William Phillips Dies at Vale Summit

FROSTBURG, April 9.—Mrs. Nora Ross Phillips, wife of William Edward Phillips, died tonight at her home at Vale Summit after an illness of about four months. She was 75.

Surviving, besides her husband, are three sons, John, Aubrey and Walter Phillips, all of Frostburg; five daughters, Mrs. Lulu Henry Vale Summit; Mrs. Otis Wolford, Frostburg; Mrs. John Winters, Montell; Mrs. Osby Winters, Cresap town; and Mrs. Wilbert Andrews, Moscow; two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Clise, Midland, and Mrs. Ross Robinson, Clarksburg, W. Va.; two brothers, Alfred Ross, Wiley Ford, W. Va. and Richard Ross, Pekin; thirty-three grandchildren and twenty-seven great-grandchildren.

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STAR IN STRAND PICTURE



Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Carmen Miranda provide the romance and songs for "That Night in Rio," Technicolor musical of the gay Latin American capital opening today at the Strand theater.

Theaters Today

Top New York Models In Strand Musical

During the filming of the Twentieth Century-Fox Technicolor production, "That Night in Rio," now showing at the Strand theater, the studio lot was overrun by a number of wide-eyed men, young and old, who are not usually found around the premises. The reason—six New York models, especially imported to form a background of beauty for the acting of Alice Faye, Don Ameche, Carmen Miranda and other members of the cast.

The statuesque six, although never before seen in films or on the stage, are familiar to millions of Americans through their appearances on the covers of nationally circulated magazines.

The girls, Lillian Eggers, Mary Joyce Walsh, Marion Rosamond, Bettye Every, Roseanne Murray and Bunny Hartley, were selected after a month's search from among a hundred of New York's most beautiful models.

Guy Kibbee Starred In Liberty Picture

Guy Kibbee, veteran character actor of the screen, has the coveted role of "Scattergood Baines" in the first of a series of film dramas based on Clarence Budington Kelland's best loved and best known character creation. The picture is now at the Liberty theater.

Following the purchase of the screen rights to all of the Kelland stories, producer Jerry Brandt had talent scouts comb the country in a nation-wide search for an exact counter-part to play the role of Scattergood. Months were used for this search to no avail. Finally Brandt's attention was turned to Hollywood where his efforts were successful and the search ended.

Guy Kibbee, according to Kelland, author of the "Scattergood Baines" stories, is the exact likeness of "Scattergood" as Kelland sees him.

'Men of Boys Town' Opens at Maryland

"Men of Boys Town," coming three years after the notable screen achievement of "Boys Town," opens today at the Maryland theater. The new picture, again stars Spencer Tracy and Mickey Rooney.

The story is woven around Father Flanagan's increasing financial problems as he overexpands to care for the increasing hundreds of boys who appeal to him for aid. Rooney portrays Whitey Marsh, mayor of Boys Town, now more mature, who has become Father Flanagan's right hand.

The film reaches its climax when Whitey is adopted by two wealthy people, gets into the hands of the law when he tries to help a boy criminal and is sent to a reform school. Father Flanagan's bringing to light the true state of affairs provides a dramatic ending.

Fred MacMurray Stars In "Lonesome Pine"

Fred MacMurray is starred in "Trail of the Lonesome Pine," playing a return engagement at the

IN 'MEN OF BOYS TOWN'



"You risked everything to save someone else," Father Flanagan (Spencer Tracy) tells Whitey Marsh (Mickey Rooney) in this dramatic scene from "Men of Boys Town," which opens today on the Maryland screen as a sequel to "Boys Town." Tracy and Rooney step back into their Academy Award roles in another story of the famous humanitarian priest's fight for homeless boys.

Garden theater by popular request. Co-starring with MacMurray are Henry Fonda and Sylvia Sydney.

The efforts of a reform mayor, aided by a night club impresario and his show, to destroy a gang preying upon the city's innocent, is brought to the screen in novel fashion in Paramount's "A Night at Earl Carroll's," also showing at the Garden theater.

Featured in the outstanding cast are Ken Murray, as a wise-cracking press agent; his girl friend, a night club hostess, Rose Hobart; J. Carroll Naish, gangster chieftain; Earl Carroll, the impresario himself, and Brenda and Cobina, comedians of the Bob Hope radio show.

'Housekeeper's Daughter' Coming to Embassy

Hal Roach's screen comedy romance, "The Housekeeper's Daughter," filmed from the best-selling novel of the same name by Donald Henderson Clarke, opens tomorrow at the Embassy theater. Joan Bennett, again appearing as a dark-tressed glamour girl, and Adolphe Menjou, appearing as a screwy newspaper man, head the cast of "The Housekeeper's Daughter."

The supporting cast includes John Hubbard, William Gargan, George E. Stone, Peggy Wood, Donald Meek, Marc Lawrence, Lillian Bond and Victor Mature.

The story of "The Housekeeper's Daughter" concerns the mad and merry antics of a group of amateur and professional sleuths who try to solve the mysterious murder of Gladys Fontaine, a Broadway play girl, in the swanky town house of the socially prominent Randall family.

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Chemical Plant Struck Over Checkoff System

FAIRMONT, W. Va., April 9. (AP)—A strike at the Kelly Tar and Chemical Company kept between twenty and twenty-five men idle

today after disagreement over a checkoff system.

George Kucera, plant manager, said union demands for wage increases and vacations have been met to the satisfaction of employees, but that the checkoff of union dues was contrary to company policy.

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Senators Take Seven Straight from Tigers

Champions Are Beaten 5 to 3 At Greenville

Washington Takes Final Game of Southern Series Easily

GREENVILLE, S. C., April 9. (AP)—The Washington Senators made it seven in a row over the Champion Detroit Tigers in the spring exhibition schedule today, 5 to 3 in seven innings, for a sweep of their Southern series.

The Senators won the easy way—by walks. Hal Newhouse and Archie McKain passed eight men each during the game, which was called after the seventh as the Senators could catch a train.

Reds Outslug Boston

CINCINNATI, April 9. (AP)—The Cincinnati Reds played like rookies today, beating the Boston Braves 7 to 1 in seven innings.

The Reds' attack was led by a seven-run eighth inning attack, which turned a 2-1 deficit into a 9-1 victory over Boston's Red Sox in a pre-season bow before the home-fans.

Johnny Vander Meer's wildness set the stage for early Beantown scoring. Walks to Dom Di Maggio and Lou Pinney haunted him in the first as both scored on Joe Cronin's single. In the fifth, with Di Maggio on Harry Craft's error, Finney walked again and both romped home on Jimmie Fox's terrific clout over the left field wall.

The visiting sluggers added two more tallies in the seventh amid a barrage of four hits. Johnny Hutchings took over in the eighth and the Reds evened matters by getting to Joe Dobson for five of their seven runs, then clinaxed the attack as Jim Gleason hit Cecil Hughes's first pitch into right field, clearing the bases and scoring Bobby Mattick.

Danning Hits 2 Homers

BLUEFIELD, W. Va., April 9. (AP)—Harry Danning celebrated his return to the catching position by lining out two home runs which gave the New York Giants a 6 to 3 triumph today over the Cleveland Indians.

Donning his mask after a long trial in left field, Danning snatched for the circuit in the first inning with the bases empty, and in the fifth stanza with outfielder Johnny Rucker ahead of him, Rucker also was on base when Morris Aronovitch lifted one over center field wall in the third inning.

The three homers all were against Lefty Al Smith, who hurled for the Giants before he was waived out of the National League three years ago.

Pirates Beat A's

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., April 9. (AP)—Rip Sewell pitched and batted Pittsburgh to an 8 to 4 triumph over the Philadelphia Athletics today, ending a five game losing streak for the Bucs.

Sewell's sixth inning home run with two mates on base and the score tied at 4-4 was the deciding blow. In turning in the best performance of the wobbling Pirate staff in weeks, he allowed eight hits, one of them, a blooming homer by 21-year old Rankin Johnson, rookie from Midland, Tex.

Cards Finally Win

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 9. (AP)—A six-run spurge in the twelfth gave the St. Louis Cardinals a 12 to 6 victory over Fort Worth today.

The Texas Leaguers made it tough from the start, took an early lead and held the Cardinals without a hit until Martin Marion's fifth inning single drove home Gus Mancuso with the Major Leaguers' first score.

Cubs Down Sox

AMARILLO, Tex., April 9. (AP)—Chicago's Cubs and the White Sox engaged in another battle of home runs today, getting nine between them as the National Leaguers won, 15 to 11.

Billy Herman paced the Cubs with three homers and drove in eight runs.

The victory gave the Cubs a 6 to 4 edge in their exhibition series against the Sox.

Phils Win Easily

WINSTON, SALEM, N. C., April 9. (AP)—The Phillies blasted out fifteen hits, five of them of the four-base variety, to down the Winston-Salem team of the Piedmont League today 12 to 4.

A Player Factory

Fans marvelled at the youth of the Birmingham team which won the championship of the American Baseball Congress, national amateur baseball body, last year. Scouts went to work. Gus Niarhos, 19-year old Greek catcher, regarded as the prize, was signed by the Yankees for Norfolk at a reputed bonus of \$2,500. Six of his team-mates also "went out", one to Birmingham, two to Jersey City, one to Salisbury, N. C., and two to Lubbock, Tex. This broke the old record of Louisville team in the 1936 Amateur World Series which graduated six to professional ranks, best known "Pee Wee" Reese. The old record was also tied this year by Van Wert, O., which sent six boys but

THIS AND THAT IN THE SPORTS WORLD

A large crowd of Cumberland boxing fans are expected to go to Keyser tonight to witness the amateur boxing show to be staged by the Keyser Police Boys' Club at the K. of P. armory in Keyser to-night.

In addition to several A.A.U. and Golden Glove champions, at least four Cumberland boys will appear on the program.

John Hall of Cumberland will meet Denny Malone of Keyser; Mac McClelland of Cumberland will meet "Foxie" Ravenscroft of Keyser; Don Basilio of Cumberland will meet "Kid" Clark of Keyser and Edward Robinette will clash with "Kayo" Mills of Keyser.

A poll recently taken of managers in the two major leagues shows that bosses of the teams favor the Cincinnati Reds in the National and the Cleveland Indians in the American.

The National League managers with Leo Durocher, of the Brooklyn Dodgers picked the Reds to win their third straight flag. Of the seven managers voted, six picked to repeat and one placed them second.

American League managers with all eight voting picked the Cleveland Indians to "nose out" the Yankees in a close race. Four of the managers picked the Indians to finish first, three second and one third. Three picked the Yanks to come through on top and five picked them second.

Last year's American League champions, the Detroit Tigers are ranked third, one manager picking them to finish second and seven picking them for the number three berth.

Based on a point system of ten for first, seven for second, six for third, etc., here is how the managers picked the clubs to finish.

American League									
1. Yankees	2. Tigers	3. Red Sox	4. White Sox	5. Detroit	6. Cleveland	7. Philadelphia	8. St. Louis	9. Chicago	10. Athletics
10	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0

Twelve imported horses, some of which never have raced in America, are among the twenty-three thoroughbreds of R. Sterling Clark's stable, one of the early arrivals at Pimlico for the meeting which opens April 28.

Most prominent are Saguenay II, French-bred horse that raced in England; Abbe Pierre and Trois Pistoles. All three have been named for the Dixie Handicap and the Oltimes at Pimlico, and Saguenay II and Trois Pistoles for the Baltimore Spring Handicap and the Jennings.

Frank Souchak, Pitt 39, has been appointed an assistant football coach at Brown university, it was recently announced by Skip Stahley, head coach. The announcement was made at a dinner given in Stahley's honor at the Brown club. Souchak, who will coach the ends, played end on the Pitt teams of 1936-37-38.

Head of the farm system for the Brooklyn Dodgers is Mickey McConnell, The Kearney, Neb., executive started his baseball career with the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress at Wichita, Kan., and as secretary helped build it to the largest and most influential athletic organization of its type.

In 1922 Lester Groth, of the Nevada State Printing office, promised he would shoot a wild goose for his pastor. Each year until 1940 he has shot in vain. Last year he was successful and the Rev. J. L. Harvey, of Reno, got his wild goose. And that cooks our goose for today, so so-long.

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West Siders Will Workout Today

New pitchers will receive tryouts at a regular practice session of the West Side Merchants which will be held this evening at the West Side field on Paca street.

Clubs interested in playing exhibition games in the evenings or on Sundays should get in touch with Herbert Dawson, 3098-W or send a card or letter to him at 110 Paca street, Cumberland, Md.

The Sportlight by GRANTLAND RICE

How Good Are Conn and Nova?

By this time almost everyone knows how good Joe Louis is. He may not be the Louis of other years, but he is still no pillow-fisted pigmy. And he is likely to be better later on in more important fights—meaning against Conn and Nova—than he has been lately. For one thing he will bring back part of his former keenness.

As you travel around the map two popular queries are, "How good is Conn?" and "How good is Nova?" Neither is bad, but one has to be better than a "not bad" fighter to whip Louis.

Conn's main trouble is lack of weight and lack of a hurting punch. He is faster than Louis, a better boxer now, and he isn't any too easy to hit solidly.

The Pittsburgh entry also is smart and dead game. He should be able to win a few early rounds on points. Fighting defensively he might go most of the way in spite of his 20-pound disadvantage in the way of weight.

A Possible Weakness

But Conn's gameness may work against him.

Billy is loaded with fighting instinct. When he is stung his tendency is never to cover or keep away. His first instinct is to come fighting back.

In a meeting with Louis this will mean stepping into the middle of the champion's main weapons—a left and a right fist.

Unless Conn has suddenly discovered a much harder punch than he ever knew before, he has nothing to offer Louis in a trading war. This means that when Louis jolts Conn with a left or right, there's a good chance that the lighter challenger will step into the range of greater trouble with a counter attack.

His best bet is to keep at longer range as long as he can and depend upon his greater foot speed to win by way of a decision.

Nova's Case

Lou Nova has at least proved that he has regained his former health.

THEY HOLD BADMINTON TITLES



Thelma Kingsbury and Dave Freeman

Here are the singles winners in the national badminton championships held in Cleveland. Thelma Kingsbury, from Oakland, Cal., dethroned Evelyn Boldrick of San Diego, defending champion, in the women's division. Dave Freeman of Pasadena, Cal., twice winner of the title, won the men's crown as well as sharing in both the men's and mixed doubles titles.

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To worry about, nothing much to beat. This means that his training campaigns later on may tell a good part of the story—North American Newspaper Alliance.

But as one gets older and more battle worn, there is a slowing down on the part of the reflexes and also on the physical side.

Joe Louis has lost at least part of his former hand swiftness. He hasn't been punching as keenly or as quickly as he did once. This may have been due partly to the feeling on his part that he had nothing

that is up to the Louis standard, but he may be moving up as the champion is falling back. Things like this have happened before—and can happen again.

Nova can certainly improve his foot action, now one of his uncertain points. This is something he should work on, at any rate. He can't afford to be caught heavily.

Keyser Boxing Show Is Set For Tonight

A.A.U. and Golden Glove Champs Will Appear on Program

KEYSER, W. Va.—A.A.U. and Golden Glove champions will appear in feature attractions at the amateur boxing show here tonight sponsored by the Keyser Boys' Club which will be held at the Knights of Pythias armory starting at 8 o'clock.

In the feature contest, Hilton "Tarzan" Fitzpatrick, 159-pound winner of the West Virginia Golden Glove championship and a student at the West Virginia School for the Deaf of Romney, will tangle with Charles Maimone, 162-pound winner of the 1940 District of Columbia A. A. U. title.

Joe McGreevy, 139, Keyser, has been paired with Billy Scott, 133, 1941 Golden Glove champion of Washington, while James Fraser, 126, Keyser, will trade blows with Louis Hanbury, 125, another Golden Glove victor in the National Capital this year. The other bouts, as announced by McFarland, are as follows:

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LaVale A. A. Softball Club Will Practice Today at 5:30 p. m.

The LaVale A. A. Club of the Allegany Softball League will hold its initial workout of the year today at 5:30 p. m. on the diamond in LaVale.

Manager Walter Martin requests all members of last year's squad as well as new candidates to report for the workout. Another practice session will be held Friday at 5:30 p. m. and next week the team will practice Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 5:30 p. m.

Martin plans to play several exhibition games before the league season opens April 29 and he would like to hear from teams in this section who would like to play practice contests.

Martin can be reached by telephone after 7 p. m. at 3572-W.

Galento Suffers Hand Injury in Fight with Baer

WASHINGTON, April 9. (AP)—A hospital examination disclosed today that Tony Galento damaged his left hand in his bout last night with Buddy Baer and the Jersey barkeep's purse of \$5,912.50, which had been held up, was released to him.

Dr. Francis Allman said that the examination showed no evidence of a fracture but that the bones had been injured enough to cause great pain. Baer was awarded a seventh round technical knockout.

Semi-Pro Leagues Being Organized

DES MOINES, Ia.—Iowa is to first state to organize leagues for the 1941 season in the National Association sanctioned by the National Semi-Pro Baseball Congress.

Before April had arrived, George Haskell, of Des Moines, announced that he had organized three eight club sanctioned circuits.

Leagues that are members of the National Association have protection on all their players under national contract system, which prevents them from joining other teams or leagues without release. All winners are awarded league championship trophy by the national organization and all disputes are settled through high commissioner of the semi-pro sport, George H. Sailer.

Resume of each league appears in annual National Semi-Pro Baseball Guide, present edition of which is available at newsstands and sporting goods stores.

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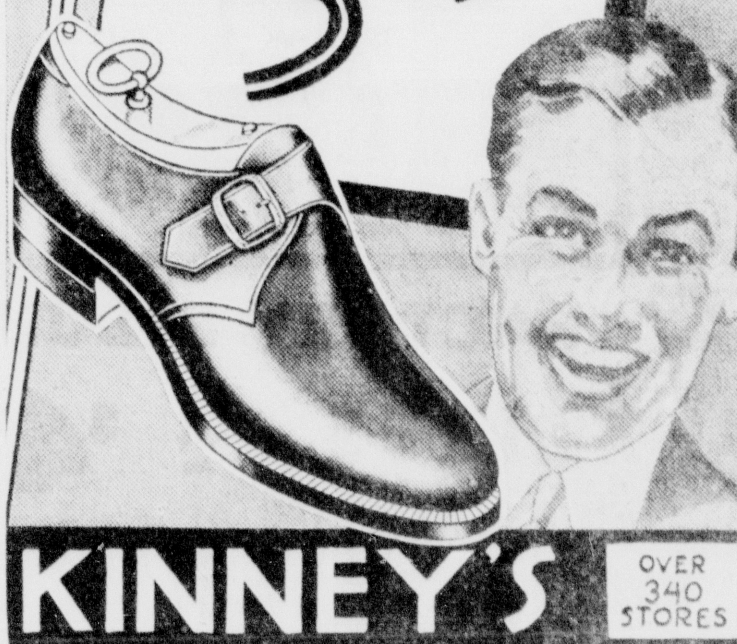
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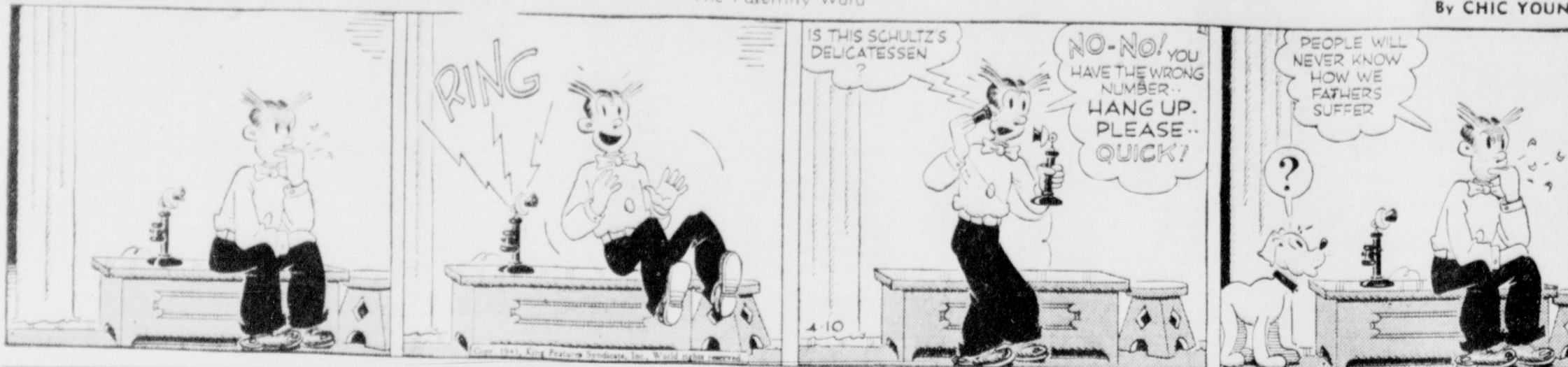
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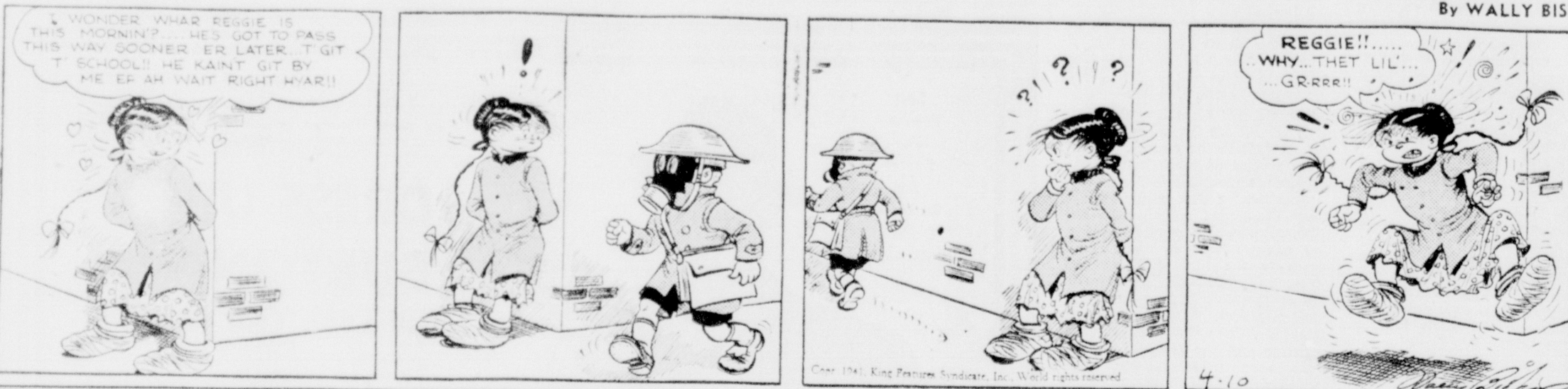
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5. Haul
6. Esculent
7. Dedicated

8. Artistic dance

9. To make public
10. Flies
11. Pertaining to Scandinavia
12. Built
13. Not a professional
14. Also
15. Beast of burden
16. Subsidized
17. Obtained
18. Played the chief role
19. Medieval helmets
20. Boxes
21. Pertaining to old age
22. Search for and discover
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24. Floor covering
25. Proceed

Yesterday's Answer

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Funeral Notice

HEY—Mrs. Alice C. (Smith), aged 89, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David John, 101 Highway, Tuesday, April 9th, 1941, at 10:30 P. M. at the home, Rev. Edgar S. Price of Second Baptist Church will officiate. Interment at Laurel Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 4-9-11-TN

HEY—William Elbert, aged 19, died Tuesday, April 9th, at his home, Paw Paw, W. Va., son of Charles E. and Nell Lyons. Rev. Funeral services, Thursday, 2:30 P. M., at the home, Rev. H. P. Ford, assisted by Rev. W. A. Sawyer, will officiate. Interment in Camp Hill Cemetery, Paw Paw. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 4-9-11-TN

REICKER—Mrs. Eleanor, (Shaffer), aged 78, wife of Elmer E. McKiever, died at her home, 2300 P. M., at the home, Rev. H. P. Ford, assisted by Rev. W. A. Sawyer, will officiate. Interment in Camp Hill Cemetery, Paw Paw. Arrangements by Stein's Funeral Service. 4-9-11-TN

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STATE FARM Insurance Companies Office, 28 N. Liberty St. Phone 3588, residence Phone 1752-J. 3-29-31-T

4—Repairs, Service Stations

SCHRIVER'S ONE STOP. Phone 172. 9-9-11-T

MOTOR X-RAY, Bud-Ed's Service, 317 Henderson Ave. Phone 3744. 3-9-11-T

6—Used Parts, Tires

MANTOLA HOME RADIO \$9.95. Motorola car radio, like new, \$18. Goodrich Silvertown Stores, 112 S. Centre. Phone 611. 2-12-11-T

11—Business Opportunities

FOR LEASE—Gas station, Cumberland. Write Box 554-A. 3 Times-News. 3-13-11-T

ROADHOUSE, long lease, living quarters, dance floor. Established 10 years. Selling because engaged in other business. Reasonable for quick sale. Box 146-A. 3 Times-News. 4-10-31-T

13—Coal For Sale

WETZEL'S COAL \$3 up. Lumpy Big Vein. Phone 818. 9-10-11-T

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LARGE SINGLE GARAGE, 809 Riehl Avenue. Phone 1392-M. 1-31-11-T

OFFICE ROOMS, Commercial Savings Bank. 11-15-11-T

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19—Furnished Apartments

TWO AND THREE rooms, bath and heat, 49 E. Main St., Frostburg, Md. 4-8-31-T

TWO HOUSEKEEPING rooms, 162 Bedford St. 4-8-31-T

TWO ROOMS, furnished, garage, 35 Mary St. 4-10-21-Sun-T

20—Unfurnished Apartments

WASHINGTON-LEE, five rooms and bath. Phone 2998-J. 3-17-31-T

18 N. CENTRE, Dr. Bertha Johnson, Chiropractor. 3-31-11-T

FOUR-ROOM apartment, heat, 53 Greene. 1329-W. 4-1-21-N

MODERN CENTRAL, four rooms, first floor, adults, possession at once. Apply 80 Pershing St. Phone 2624. 4-3-11-N

804 GEPHART DRIVE, Phone 2849-J. 4-4-11-T

THREE ROOMS, sink, private porch, 47 Crease St. 4-4-11-T

20—Unfurnished Apartments

204 WASHINGTON ST., five rooms and bath. 4-5-11-N

MODERN THREE rooms, bath, garage. Apply 107 N. Johnson St. 4-8-11-T

THREE ROOMS, bath, 519 Memorial Ave. 4-8-31-T

FOUR ROOMS, bath, 123 Columbia. Phone 119. 4-9-11-N

TWO OR FOUR rooms, 445 N. Mechanic. 4-9-11-T

22—Furnished Rooms

FURNISHED ROOMS, 233 Henderson Ave. 4-9-11-T

HEATED ROOMS, 414 Race St. 4-9-11-T

BEDROOM—Private, heated, Phone 2723-J. 2-10-11-T

HOUSEKEEPING room, single, 422 Seymour. 4-4-31-T

COMBINATION BEDROOM, kitchen, modern, 216 South St. 4-5-31-T

BEDROOM, 213 Charles St. 4-5-31-T

BEDROOM, private family, reference, 64 Greene. 4-5-31-T

BEDROOM, gentleman, 324 Bedford St. 4-6-21-T

TWO LARGE furnished rooms, 447 Henderson Ave. 4-8-21-T

HOUSEKEEPING, \$5, adults, 223 Union. 4-8-21-T

BEDROOM, 617 Bedford St. 4-8-31-T

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS \$4.50. 453 Henderson Ave. 4-10-11-T

HOUSEKEEPING ROOM, 56 Bedford St. 4-10-31-T

23—Unfurnished Rooms

THREE ROOMS, 518 Pectig Ave. off Bedford St. 4-3-11-T

ROOMS, furnished, unfurnished. Phone 427-J. 4-8-31-T

24—Houses For Rent

MODERN eight-room residence, garage, 535 Greene St. \$60 month. Phone 1450. 3-10-31-T

SIX ROOM modern house, double garage. Call 619 Lynn St. Possession May 1st. 4-9-11-T

TWO ROOMS with garden, electric. Mrs. John McCoy, Bowman's Addition. 4-10-11-T

25—Rooms With Board

GENTLEMAN, 9 S. Waverly Terrace. 3-25-31-T

ROOM, BOARD, 148 Bedford. Phone 3357-W. 4-9-11-T

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Conciliator Is On Way To Look Into Strike Here

Clerk's Union Says Millinery Store Will Be Struck Today

Plans to broaden the scope of the retail clerks' strike in Cumberland were made last night by the executive board of the union which announced that a downtown millinery store will be struck this morning.

Federal Man on Way

Coupled with the announcement that the clerks planned to strike another store this morning and contemplated further action barring a drastic change in the situation, it was reported that the United States Conciliation Service had a representative on the way to Cumberland to look the situation over. The injection of the federal conciliation service into the dispute occasioned considerable surprise in Cumberland last night.

Meanwhile, the situation at Rosenbaum's Department Store remained the same following the walkout of union members and the stationing of pickets yesterday morning.

"Business as Usual" at Rosenbaum's

A representative of the department store said last night that the store would open for business as usual today and that there would be "plenty of help" to take care of Easter business.

The store's representative stated that of the entire force, including selling and non-selling departments, only thirty per cent went out on strike yesterday.

Louis Combs, representative of the clerks' union, said that fifty-eight persons employed in the store came out on strike including some non-union employees. The store's representative, on the other hand, said that some union members actually reported for work yesterday as usual.

The store's spokesman declared last night that the department store paid basic salaries as prescribed by the union's last contract.

Employees Paid Bonuses

In addition to the basic wage paid, the store's representative pointed out that employees of the store also receive a monthly bonus in addition to the salary they earn. Clerks, he said, are given a quota of merchandise which they sell. Bonuses are paid for all merchandise sold by a clerk over and above this quota.

For example, last month one clerk in the store was paid a bonus of \$96 which she received in addition to her salary, the store's representative said.

The crux of the whole situation, the store's representative declared, is not a matter of advances in salary. Such advances have already been offered by the merchants, he said.

Closed Shop Is Slog

The crux of the dispute, he said, revolves around the union's demand for what in effect amounts to a closed shop.

The merchants, while they are favorable to unions, feel that they cannot dictate to employees to the extent that they should be forced into unions against their own wishes, the spokesman said.

For example, a merchant can't tell a man that he must join a (Continued on Page 16, Col. 6)

Eleven Men Want To Be Policemen, Fifteen Firemen

Applications Have Been Returned to Civil Service Commissioners

Eleven men have received and returned applications for positions on the city police force while fifteen have their applications for the fire department on record.

Police Applicants

Those seeking positions as policemen are Vincent P. Dela Grange, 815 Yale street, Laurence A. Williams, 404 Walnut street, Orma W. Phillips, 116 N. Spruce street, Bert Meacher, 437 Chestnut street, William V. Cabbage, 629 Lincoln street, Philip Holshay, 600 Elwood street, Howard Bush, 101 Humbird street, Chester A. Stewart, 468 Columbia street, Charles C. Sullivan, 701 Fairmont avenue, Vincent Green, 313 Grand avenue, Blair S. Heller, 15 Boone street.

Applicants for Fire Department

The fifteen applicants for the fire department are John Kreitzburg, 506 Pear street, Thomas H. Dawson, 412 Goethe street, Austin L. Warrick, 510 Necessity street, Philip F. Smith, 300 Pacific place, James E. Watkins, 47 N. Liberty street, G. Kelley, 440 Baltimore avenue, Virgil V. McClure, 439 N. Centre street, Robert R. Willison, 137 N. Centre street, Jerome T. Deffbaugh, Jr., 930 Maryland avenue, Edgar L. Eollen, 221 Carroll street, Richard Lee Lintineum, 300 Pulaski street, Victor G. Long, 439 Bond street, Vincent Hartung, 10 Pioneer place, John L. Estes, 227 Springdale street, Sylvester C. Dryer, 602 831-tan avenue.

Examination April 30

Examinations for positions on both forces will take place Wednesday, April 30, at 7 p. m. before the Civil Service Commissioners for Cumberland.

Local Woodmen Will Honor Memory of the Late Senator Sheppard

Sen. Morris Sheppard, Dem., of Texas, who died yesterday in Washington, D. C., was national secretary of the Woodmen of the World and the Cumberland Camp No. 6, W.O.W., will honor his memory in a special ceremony at the hall Monday evening.

Sen. Sheppard spoke at the picnic given by the local camp in 1930 at Ellerslie and is remembered by many of the local W.O.W. officers and membership.

He was a member of Texarkana, Texas, lodge for over forty years.

Police Seniority Case Is Heard in Circuit Court

Associate Judge William A. Huster Takes Matter under Advisement

The seniority mixup came to a head in circuit court yesterday when Wilson's case was heard. Wilson asked that his former seniority rating be restored and that he be returned to the 1 a. m. to 9 a. m. shift. Loss of seniority, Wilson claimed, was responsible for his being shifted to a 5 p. m. to 1 a. m. "beat."

Orr Denies Charges

On the stand yesterday, Commissioner Orr denied that shifting Wilson had anything to do with his change in seniority rating. According to the commissioner, Wilson had for some time been working during "off hours" for private gain from a parking lot and charged that Wilson was not "in trim" to give full service when he reported for duty at 1 a. m.

Charles Z. Heskett, city solicitor, pointed out that Wilson only made five arrests in November and one in December.

Besides Officer Wilson, the eight other policemen involved in the seniority reshuffle were called to the witness stand. All but three denied having expressed any dissatisfaction with the methods of determining their seniority right by lot. But all admitted that the posting of ratings by the Civil Service Commission last November based on merit shown in examinations for jobs on the force sent a ripple of protest down the line.

Irvine Is Witness

The other officers involved in the case are John E. Sherry, Robert V. Chisholm, James Davis, Frank J. Zawaski, James E. Hicks, Carl Stouffer, T. T. Griffin and James E. Kelley. Officer Wilson is represented in the proceedings by attorney Fred Puderbaugh.

Mayor Harry Irvine testified that he was convinced that the carrying into effect of "seniority rights" on the police force was detrimental to the police force itself, the individual officers and to the general public. The mayor pointed out that a policeman might "rate" a given shift by length of time in service but not able to handle the job. He declared there has been "turmoil" in the police department since his own.

Counsel for both sides agreed that the question of "seniority" especially when applied to the workings of a police department, was vaguely defined beyond the simple right of being rehired in the event of furlough.

Associate Judge William A. Huster yesterday took the police seniority "test" case of Officer Edward P. Wilson under advisement after remarking that the litigation was something new in the annals of the Allegany circuit court.

Officer Wilson filed suit in circuit court when he was shifted from second to seventh on the seniority list affecting nine officers who joined the force at the same time in 1936. His change in status was due to the re-arrangement of the list by Police Commissioner James Orr.

Drew Numbers for Positions

Originally, the nine furloughed officers drew numbers out of a hat to determine their rating when the seniority law first took effect. Later, the ratings of the nine men were changed when Orr tossed out the determination by lot due to dissatisfaction expressed by some of the men. Orr then set up a new priority standard for the nine men (Continued on Page 12, Col. 8)

Allegany High Gets Sports Trophies And Banners at Assembly Program

An assembly was held yesterday afternoon at Allegany high school when various sports trophies and letters were presented.

The banner for winning the Western Maryland Interscholastic basketball championship was presented to Co-Captain Kenneth Sherman by Arthur P. Smith, principal of Lonaconing high school and president of the league.

Sherman in turn gave the banner to Ralph R. Webster, principal, who accepted it upon behalf of the school.

Smith praised Coach Walter L. Bowers for his "knack" of turning out championship teams with consistency. He also gave the Allegany girls team a fine boost when he said the sextette had won at least ninety-nine and forty-four hundredths of its goal in the girls league.

Upon behalf of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce, Charles L.



BRING CHEER TO COUNTY HOME RESIDENTS—The fifty residents of the county home were "cheered up" yesterday when Girl Scouts of Troop No. 9, SS. Peter and Paul's school, sponsored by the Ursuline Alumnae Association accompanied by members of the troop committee visited the home, delivered Easter baskets and presented a program. The cast which presented "Johnny Appleseed" is shown with Mrs. Elizabeth Summerville, a resident of the home, who is holding an Easter basket which the Girl Scouts presented her. Patty Geatz who played Johnny Appleseed, is just ready to present Mrs. Summerville an apple. Others in the picture are, reading from left to right, back row—Ann Shireman, Peggy Geatz, Katherine Kelly, Jeannie Miller, Josephine Wilson, Margie Keller. Second row—Ruth Hammersmith and Frances King.

Local Board No. 2 Selects Fifteen Men for April 26

Will Leave Here That Day for Induction Station in Baltimore

Local Draft Board No. 2 has selected fifteen men to leave here April 26 to report to the induction station in Baltimore as part of the April draft quota for Allegany county.

They are Charles Edward Goetz, 13 Decatur street, order number 733 and Celanese worker.

John Albert Bolden, Central Y. M. C. A. order number 546, advertising solicitor for the News-Times. He has been named leader of the group.

Melvin Sylvester Valentine, 812 Shades lane, order number 551, Celanese worker.

John Griffin Ridgeway, 704 Bedford street, order number 603, radio operator and mechanic.

Andrew Rapallo, P. O. Box 641, this city, order number 604, B. & O. shops.

Willard Mervin Trostle, 536 North Mechanic street, order number 615, sheet metal worker employed by John P. Trostle.

Donald Lenn Robinette, 310 Broadway, order number 634, Celanese worker.

Willard Augustus Adams, Central Y. M. C. A. order number 622, Celanese worker.

Forrest Mitchell Moser, 467 Goethe street, order number 649, Celanese worker.

Ferman Wilson Oglebay, 607 Columbia street, order number 652, stockman Western Maryland railroad.

Leo Philip Kastner, 625 Shriver avenue, order number 654, Celanese worker.

William Jack Clair, 4 Altamont terrace, order number 679, unemployed.

Norman Kline, 702 North Mechanic street, order number 721, operates grocery store.

Karl Walter Willison, 622 Baltimore avenue, order number 723, unemployed.

James Charles Angellatta, 27 Henderson avenue, order number 745, Celanese worker.

The fifteen draftees will leave (Continued on Page 16, Col. 7)

Mt. Savage Brickyard Shut Down As CIO Unionists Call 'Holiday'

800,000 Bricks Reported Endangered as Kilns Are Left Unattended

MT. SAVAGE, April 9.—The brickyard of the Union Mining Company was virtually shut down tonight as the Brick and Clay Workers Industrial Union (CIO) declared a "holiday" because of failure to reach a contract agreement.

John Harden, president of the union, said the stoppage was not a strike, but a "holiday." It is called only for tomorrow (Thursday), he said, adding that what happens after that depends on whether or not an agreement is reached.

Old Contract Expired Feb. 15.

The former agreement expired February 15, and negotiations since then have been unsuccessful.

Decision to call the stoppage was made at a mass meeting here tonight. Harden said 275 workers attended.

The company employs about 420 men—320 in the brickyard and 100 in the mines.

F. C. Strickland, general manager of the company, said operations were virtually at a standstill before midnight, the time set by the union for the beginning of the "holiday," because men on the 10 p. m. shift failed to report for work.

Only foremen and a few workers on the 4 p. m. to midnight shift were on the job at midnight, he said. He added that for the first time in the company's history, the stoppage was called without arrangements being made to take care of the kilns where the bricks are baked.

Sixteen kilns are in operation. Strickland said, with 800,000 bricks endangered by the walkout of the kiln firemen.

The manager reported that the company was the busiest it has been in fifteen years. A "few" defense orders are among those scheduled for delivery next week, he said.

Strickland declared the stoppage was apparently ordered because of the union's insistence on a conference tomorrow (Thursday) with President Green of Pittsburgh, president of the company, Annan is unable to be present for a conference until Friday, the manager said.

A federal conciliator will be on hand for Friday's meeting, the union announced.

Wages at Issue

A negotiating conference was held from noon until 5 p. m. today. Strickland said, but no agreement was reached. He added that the union committee left him with the impression that work would continue as usual pending the conference Friday with Annan.

According to Strickland, wages are the chief point of issue in the contract deadlock. The union first asked a twenty-two per cent wage increase, which was rejected by the company, he said. An offer by the company of a four per cent raise was rejected by the union, he added.

Later, he went on, the union cited wage rates paid at brick plants at Clearfield, Pa., and asked a similar scale.

Wage rates at Clearfield are higher because freight rates are lower than in the Maryland district, the manager said, asserting that the Union Mining Company pays as high wages as any other brick firm in Maryland, perhaps higher.

Differential Proposed

Strickland said the company had proposed to the union a wage differential between the Pennsylvania (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Max Gerson Added To List of Replacements From Draft Board No. 2

Local Draft Board No. 2 announced yesterday that Glenn Foster Nelson, of RFD 3, Valley road, who had volunteered and had been named as a replacement for one of six draftees rejected at the April 1 induction. He was taken off the list and replaced by Max Gerson, 421 Henderson avenue, assistant manager of the Public Service market. Gerson has order number 537.

Gerson and the other five replacements will leave at 7:10 a. m. Monday, April 14 for the induction station in Baltimore.

Referendum Will Be Held on Soil Conservation Plan

Forming of District Will Be Voted Upon in County July 24

Plans for the establishment of a soil conservation district in Allegany county were going ahead today with July 24 set as the date for a referendum on the proposition.

Under Maryland law, a soil conservation district is a legal unit of the state government. It can be set up only by a vote of farmers and it is administered by a board of supervisors composed of five local persons.

County Agent R. F. McHenry announced yesterday that a series of ten "hearings" on the proposition will be held in the county the week of June 24. The referendum will be held July 24, after the proposition has been advertised for two weeks in the newspapers.

In the event the soil conservation plan is inaugurated in the county, a substantial number of the farms in the area must be represented in the vote. A substantial majority of the voters must be favorable to the project.

If approved, an office will be opened and equipment to carry on strip cropping, including widening of stream beds, prevention of erosion, contour farming and division terracing provided.

Easter Vacations Start for Schools

Public and Parochial Students Return to School Next Week

The schools of Cumberland are now on the annual Easter vacations. St. Patrick's elementary and Catholic Girls Central high school will resume their classes next Wednesday morning. The elementary school began its vacation following the Tuesday classes while the high school ended its sessions Wednesday afternoon.

SS. Peter and Paul school and Ursuline Academy began their vacations after yesterday's classes and will resume studies next Wednesday morning.

St. Mary's elementary and high school started their Easter vacations Tuesday. No definite date has been set for resumption of classes but in all probability they will resume a few days after Easter, it was announced last night.

As previously announced, the public schools of the county will begin their Easter vacations today at 1 p. m., and resume classes Tuesday, April 15, at 9 a. m.

LaSalle high school pupils will have a five day vacation. They were dismissed for the Easter holiday yesterday at 2:30 p. m., and will return to classes at 8:45 a. m. on Tuesday, April 15.

Two Births Are Reported Here

A son was born early last night at Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kieffer, 710 Frederick street.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gormer, rear of 109 Mills Creek avenue, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday morning at Memorial hospital.

Twenty-Five Men Are Called by Board No. 3

First Contingent of April Quota Will Leave Here Wednesday

Twenty-five men registered with Local Draft Board No. 3 will leave for the induction station in Baltimore next Wednesday, April 16, over the B. & O. railroad at 7:15 a. m. Six of the men volunteered for service. (The V before the order number indicates this.)

Three days later the second contingent from Board No. 3, totaling twenty-four men, will leave here to be inducted into the army. The quota call for this board was so large that it was divided into two sections.

Those leaving next Wednesday include Orion Oliver Wilson Jr., 308 Mt. View drive, order number V-1965, associated with a local hardware store.

Robert Gill Price, RFD No. 1, LaVale, order number V-1660, greenhouse assistant.

Truck Driver Called

Edward Joseph Rider, 415 Beall street, order number V-517, truck driver.

Joseph Elliott Jett, Park Heights, LaVale, order number V-705, clerk, Gordon Plansman, Route 3, McMullen highway, order number V-628, truck driver.

Morris Dittman, 309 Pulaski street, order number V-935, solicitor-collector.

Ola Rosco Nazelrod, RFD 5, order number 239, Celanese worker.

Arthur Jackson Long, Cresaptown, order number 467, steel construction worker.

James Patrick Cuff, Cresaptown, order number 468, Celanese worker.

Charles Robert Shaffer, 515 Fayette street, order number 494, Celanese worker.

Frank Foster Perrie, 301 Magruder street, order number 512, credit and office manager at Armour and Company.

William Jerome Walsh, Cresaptown, order number 544, Celanese worker.

Robert Eugene Ewing, 569 Annett terrace, order number 555, tire builder at Kelly-Springfield plant.

Richard Franklin Beveridge, Cresaptown, order number 556, laboratory assistant at Celanese.

Robert Franklin Kraus, 208 Annett (Continued on Page 16, Col. 5)

Tenebrae Services Are Being Held By Cumberland's Catholic Churches

Cumberland's three Catholic churches are in the midst of the most solemn religious period of the year with tenebrae services at St. Patrick's, SS. Peter and Paul and St. Mary's churches tonight and Friday night at 7:30 p. m. A sermon will be given at St. Patrick's each night in addition to the tenebrae.

High masses will be held at all three churches at 8 a. m. today. Holy Communion will be distributed at St. Patrick's at 7 a. m. SS. Peter and Paul will have communion at 5:45, 6:30 and 7:30 a. m. while St. Mary's will have communion at 7:45 a. m.

Good Friday services at St. Patrick's will include Mass of the Presanctified at 8 a. m. Stations of the Cross at 3 p. m. and final tenebrae at 7:30 p. m. with sermon on

the "Passion and Death of Our Lord." Veneration of the Cross will follow each of the services. At SS. Peter and Paul the hours are also at 8 a. m., 3 p. m. and 7:30 p. m. There will be a sermon at the stations in the afternoon. At St. Mary's there will be: Veneration of the Cross, Mass of the Presanctified, 7:30 a. m.; congregational devotion of the Three Hours, 12 to 3 p. m.; Tenebrae, 7:30 p. m.

Holy Saturday services at St. Patrick's include blessing of the New Fire, etc., followed by mass and communion at 7 a. m. There will be solemn services at SS. Peter and Paul at 6:30 a. m. followed by blessing of the fire, Easter candles, Holy water, etc. Solemn high mass will be at 8 a. m. and there will be procession and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Services at St. Mary's will be at 7 and 8 a. m.

Tax Group Is Not Against School Bill, Smith Says

Declares Association Asked Gov. O'Connor for Hearing on Measure

MT. SAVAGE, April 9.—The Allegany County Taxpayers Research Association has not disapproved the \$800,000 school bond issue measure now awaiting Governor O'Connor signature. Chairman Frank E. Smith said here today.

Here to clarify his stand on the bill to provide new schools at Mt. Savage, Lonaconing and Ellerslie Smith denied published reports that the tax group he heads had asked the governor to veto the measure.

Ask for Hearing

Smith said he had wired the governor asking for a hearing on the bill but stated that O'Connor was not asked to veto it. He added that the group wanted to investigate the matter before the governor signed it.

The tax league chairman denied, too, that he had sought to have the county commissioners protest the measure. He asserted that he contacted the county commissioners to ascertain their stand on the bill, having previously learned that the board of education opposed it.

According to Smith, Walter Johnson, county auditor, called him Friday morning and asked if the tax group take some action against the bill and seek to have it vetoed by the governor. Previous to that time, the association had "taken no action in regard to the bill—in fact, had given no thought whatever to the issue," Smith declared.

Investigation Planned

After Johnson called, Smith said he got in touch with several other members of the executive board of the league. After some discussion he stated, the group decided to ask for a hearing on the bill and sent a fire to this effect to Governor O'Connor. Meanwhile, he said, an investigation was planned as to the merits of the measure and the attitude of the school board and county commissioners. No veto was asked, he reiterated.

At Johnson's suggestion, Smith went on, the executive board of the tax league met with the county commissioners yesterday morning and asked if they were going on record against the bill.

The commissioners, as reported in the press, said the bill was not their "baby" and refused to take any official action in the matter.

In the face of this situation, the tax league decided to drop the matter and is not opposing the bill, according to Smith. In the event a hearing is held by the governor, the league will not participate, he said.

Concerned with Tax Matters

Smith quoted the commissioners as saying that Johnson had not been authorized by them to require the tax league to oppose the measure.

The tax league is concerned with reducing taxes in the county. Smith told citizens here, and was no arguments or controversies with any section within the county. The league's status is "impartial," he pointed out. Stating that he knew little about the school situation here, he said he had only meant to investigate the bill.

Unfavorable comments about the bill in recent days have aroused Mr. Savage citizens, and many of them have sent letters to Governor O'Connor urging him to sign the bond measure.

Mayor Irvine Is Chosen To Speak At Celebration

Columbia Street School Will Observe Its Anniversary April 17

Sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association, Columbia Street school will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary next Thursday, April 17, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium.

Mayor Harry Irvine, trustee of the school, will be the principal speaker. Miss Isabel C. Ireland, first principal of the school; Miss Mollie Bopst, second principal, and Mrs. Sarah E. Higgins, present principal, will be guests of honor.

Edwin R. Lively will be master ceremonies and a comedy skit entitled "The Old Country School" with adults taking the part of the pupils will be a feature of the program. Old time vocal selections will be put over in a burlesque manner, and recitals will be presented.

Musical selections will be furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Chester V. Lentine. Refreshments will be served.

The celebration will be for adults only, according to an announcement by Oliver R. Morton, president of the association.

Mrs. Marguerite Brenneman, Mrs. Earl Knotts comprise the program committee; Mrs. Edwin Lively and Mrs. William McCough, social committee; Mrs. L. Baker and Mrs. John Lancaster, hospitality committee; Mrs. O. R. Morton, publicity chairman.

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